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Mr Mugabe calls on whites to remain

An estimated 200,000 people in Salisbury yesterday heard Mr Robert Mugabe, the black nationalist guerrilla leader, call on whites to remain in Rhodesia if his Zanu (PF) Party won the forthcoming elections. He was speaking at a rally after his return from exile in Mozambique.

Crowd of 200,000 at Salisbury rally

From Nicholas Ashford Salisbury, Jan 27

Mr Robert Mugabe, the Rhodesian black nationalist leader who spearheaded the guerrilla war against the Salis-Government, returned here today from five years in exile and told a tumultous rally of his supporters there would be no more injustice based on race and colour.

The head of the Zanu (PF) Party, whose espousal of socialism has struck fear in the hearts of the nution's 220,000 Europeans, called on whites to remain in the country and urged all of Rhodesia's 6,500,000 inhabitants to unite in order to attain "true democracy based on equality".

An estimated 200,000 or more people were at the Zimbrown grounds in the Highfield black township of Salisbury to greet Mr Mngabe who has rarely been seen in Rhodesia because he spent most of the last 15 years in detention or in sile in Mozambique. which Mr Mugabe and the It was by far the largest party's central committee were

The delicate and slow-moving

Middle East peace process has

heen given a boost by an un-

expected Egyptian decision to

accelerate most aspects of the normalization of relations with Israel well ahead of the dead-

line set down in the Camp

The decision was taken per-sonally by President Sadat, who

is now reported to have instruc-

ted his Government to consider February 15 as the starting date for "complete" normaliza-tion rather than July 26, the day laid down in the official time-

amplification is expected to-

Jerusalem, Jan 27

David agreements.

crowd to attend a rally given by any of the black political parties taking part in next month's election and, according to some observers, it was the biggest political meeting ever held in the country.

Party officials said the crowd

would have been even bigger if police and security force auxiliaries had no; stopped bus loads of supporters coming in

from the countryside.

An exuberant Mr Muzabe,
who had flown to Salisbury
from Mapuro earlier in the day, gave triumphant clearched list salutes to the crowd and led them in the chanting of nationalist slogans.

The crowd, which included a majority of young people, was good humoured and well controlled by party officials.

However, there were several violent incidents including one in which a man, allegedly carrying a gun, was severely beaten by Zanu (PF) officials within few feet of the rostrum on

According to Mr Anis Mansour, the editor of the influential

Egyptian magazine October Mr

Sadar's move came in response to Israel's discharge of its peace

treaty commitments in the Sinai

with complete honesty and

Israeli officials explained to-

day that the acceleration would particularly affect the negotia-

tion of trade, cultural and scientific agreements between the two countries. The contro-

versial exchange of ambassadors

is still scheduled to go ahead as

planned on February 26.
President Sadat's intervention

decision, announced less than

the Egyptian two weeks ago, to slow down related

Senior Israeli ministers were was particularly welcome to the informed of the decision pri- Israeli Government because it

last week and further appeared to reverse an Egyptian 1982.



Mr Mugabe yesterday: "Refugee camps would be a failure of our struggle."

standing. Police reported a of violent incidents during the night and used tear-gas to disperse a crowd. At a televised press conference at Salishury airport before the rally Mr Mugabe attempted to project himself as a man of moderation whose real aims had either been misunderstood or deliberately distorted.

While conceding that his party's ideology was socialism, he sought to assure Rhodesians that Zanu (PF) "having fought gallantly for what we considered to the considered to th dered to be our honest objec-tives, will be honest in peace to achieve the society where all can have a place ".

On key economic questions he emphasized that there would still be a place for private farmers and that only utilized and abandoned land or land owned by absence land-lords would be used to resettle peasants who were presently confined to the tribal trust lands. There would be no victimization or seizure of private

Egypt speeds peace process with new normalization date

It was cited by an Israeli Foreign Ministry official as evidence that Egypt was not

now intending to link normali-

zation with progress towards agreement on Palestinian auto-

nomy, the central issue on which there are still wide dif-

In Israeli political circles,

there was speculation that Mr

Sadat may attempt to hink the

advance in normalization with

growing pressure on Israel to

hasten its withdrawal from the

remaining one-third of Sinai. Under the Camp David agree-

ments, this must be handed

In a significant and closely related development, both

He said he recognized the anxieties felt by whites and appealed to them to remain in the country. "We have not come to throw them out", he declared. "The last thing we would like to see would be the creation of refugee camps south of the Limpopa river. That would be a failure of our struggle.

However, Mr Mugabe did have some strung words to say about Bishop Abel Muzorewa, the former Prime Minister. about what he perceived to be an anti-Zanu (PF) bias within the British Administration in Rhodesia and about the pre-sence of South African forces in Rhodesia. He accused the bishop of

being "a coward" and of being the main violator of the ceasefire because he was using security force auxiliaries to intimidate people into support-

Mr Mugabe intends to discuss the question of the auxiliaries with Lord Soames, the Governor. He noted that the British

to switch responsibility for normalization away from their

foreign ministers and into the bands of their respective

hands of their respective defence ministers. The coordi-

nated move is expected to improve cooperation in sensi-

The disclosure about speed-ing up normal ries coincided with the formal beginning of

normal relations between Israel

of the Jewish sabbath, the opening of land barriers

between Egypt and Israel was delayed 24 hours until this

morning. Throughout the day,

the number of civilians who succeeded in making the cross-

ing was kept to a minimum

because of complex visa and

and Egypt.

leader is due to make an the pace of normalization in Egypt and Israel have decided Sadat move: President Sadat is important speech in Cairo, economy and culture, to switch responsibility for planning counteraction against

had frequently complained publicly about alleged violations publicly about alteged violations: for the next decade, and wants of the ceaselire by his forces; to move closer to the continent but never by the auxiliaries. Tal model of "open" stations, "We begin to suspect the flexible working and a standard rostered week that would make Murorewa or else they are in collusion with Muzorewa."

The proposals include new Ouestioned

African troops based at Beit Bridge, Mr Mugabe said this was not enough. He claimed trains there were at least 3,000 South guards. African troops operating as units of the Rhodesian security forces as well as another 3,000 South African volunteers and these should be withdrawn also.

On foreign relations Mr Mugabe emphasized that his party would follow a policy of co-existence with South Africa. We will not disrupt the trade that has been established between our countries," he said. His party would follow a nonaligned foreign policy leaning neither to east nor west.

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planning counteraction against

Arab countries, led by Saudi

matic relations with Cairo in

protest against its peace treaty

with Israel. According to Cairo

press reports, the Egyptian move will be announced by Mr

Sadat in his policy speech to Parliament tomorrow.

Meanwhile, hundreds of thou-

sands of people went on strike

and demonstrated in several

against the Israeli-Egyptian

In Damascus, an estimated

the streets, many of them shouting slogans against Mr Sadat.

In Baglidad, one million angry

demonstrators attended a pro-

normalization.

BR aims to cut back 30,000 jobs by 1983

By Paul Roudedge Labour Editor

British Rall wonts to shed 30,000 jubs, one in six of its labour force, over the next three ears as part of a big rationalzation and productivity pro-

Ruil union leaders have been given early warning of the plan, which British Rail argues is vital to its success, and to the industry's efforts to win increased government investelectrification and modernization.

But Critish Rail has until now been vague about figures, and the gross job reduction envisaged by management will be greated with dismay by the unions, who have put a price ray of 1300m on their wages and hours aspirations for this year.

British Rail plans to restruc-ture its traditional activities in the light of economic prospects for the next decade and wants

The proposals include new Questioned about the manning concepts, Sigalmen mounced withdrawal of South could announce train arrivals, ticket cierks could carry out other station duties, and come could run without

> A gross manpower reduction of 30,000 by 1982-83 is suggested, although the net loss on numbers would probably be only 10,000 to 15,000. Much of the cutback would be actieved titrough natural wastage.

Productivity negotiations with the unions have opened tentatively. Agreement his not been possible on one form in-volving all three rail unities the National Union of Railway men, the Transport Salaried Staffs Association, and the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen-and it is increasingly likely that parts of the productivity programme will be swept into the 1980 pay round

After settling for just over 10 per cent last year (substantially below many other public sector deals). British Rail management is becoming reconciled to conceding wagerises of 17 to 18 per cent this April, approximately in line with the rate of inflation. But it is looking for a "significant it is looking for a "significant improvement" in productivity as part of the settlement.

If this is not achieved, the industry connot approach the Government for fresh modernization capital with any optimism, it is argued. British Arab countries in protest Rail is watching closely developments in the steel strike. which is costing the railways 12m a week in lost revenue, for indications of trade union and 500,000 people paraded through productivity, and investment.

In the first phase of the pro ductivity programme, British Rail wants union cooperation in freight and parcels rationalization schemes; agreement on methods of rostering, and allocation: closure of some sidings and shunting operations; and a start to administrative stream-

The second phase, starting next year, will involve further and bigger changes, on the freight side : job versatility that breaks down barriers between blue and white collar work; modernization of signalling, and greater flexibility of work rostering and introduction of "open stations" so that ticket collectors are gradually phased

British Rail will vigorously oppose the unions' demands for a 35-hour working week, which would cost the industry nearly £150m a year, but the management is drawing up proposals to cut the hours of work. Railwaymen work an average of 48 to 50 hours a week.

After the latest round of increases, British Rail wants to keep fares at their present level for the rest of the year. But with rising oil prices affecting its big diesel locomotive fleet and electricity tariffs going up, the management is telling the unions that only a productivity-related deal this year will stave off a counter-productive fares rise and a punitive cash set for the industry by the Gov-

Union to seek appeal against order halting spread of steel strike Labour Reporter

Leaders of the biggest steel union will seek leave this morning for an immediate appeal against an injunction ordering it to rescind a decision to spread its strike to the private sector and restraining it from secondary picket-

ing.
The decision by the Iron and
Steel Trades Confederation
(15TC) to call out more than
15,000 members in the private sector from yesterday sland-until a meeting tomorrow of the executive. Mr William Sirs, the union's general secretary, made clear that the executive alone had the power to rescind its instruction in accordance with the Court of Appeal decision to grant the injunc-tion on Saturday (Law Report,

page 4). Mr Sirs said: "In so far as we are chliged by the injunc-tion we will of course comply with our legal obligations."

Mr Sirs, however, empha-sized that the urion is determined to challenge the decision by Lord Denning, Master of the Rolls, Lord Justice Lawton, and Lord Justice Ackner, which Mr Lea Murray, general secre-tary of the TUC, said yesterday "had profound in plication; for the trade union movement as a whole

Although Mr Murray did not say so ve-terday, the ISTC is likely, if it seeks it, to receive TUC financial support for an appeal to the House of Lords against a decision which will further muddy the waters of planned consultations between the Government and union leaders on amendments to the Employment Bill dealing with trade union legal inconnities. Mr Murray said that the TUC shared the ISTC's "astonishment and grave concern " at the decision and at the court's "re-

of a right to appeal to the House of Lords. He added: "It is imperative that this issue should be resolved quickly and the TUC, therefore, strongly supports the ISTC's request to a speedy hearing of an appeal by the House of Lords."

House of Lords."

The ISTC is hoping that depite the Court of Appeal's refusal to allow an appeal, the Law Lords will do so today. Mr Sirs also said he hoped that the Lords would show the same urgency in hearing the case as had been displayed by the Court of Appeal in over-turning, at an unusual weekend session, the High Court ruling

on Friday against the 16 private steel campanies which sought the injunction.

The British Steel Corporation (BSC) last night remained hopeful of a breakthrough in the discuss after the adjunction. the dispute after the adjournment of pay negotiations with thion of Blastfurnacemen (NUB) and the ISTC. The talks were said to have made considerable progress.

Mr Sirs emphasized yester-day that the union had not yet received Seturday's judgment in writing. But speaking after consultations with the union's solicitors he said:
"Throughout the whole of this dispute all that we have done has been strictly in accordance with the law of this country, especially as laid down by the House of Lords in recent

He added: "Lord Denning is apparently saying that in any case where the Government controls the purse strings of a firm or an industry, those who ask that the purse strings be loos-ened are no longer in a trade dispute, but are involved in some form of political dispute.
"This will, of course, affect

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Welsh unions all out today for steelmen

From Tim Jones Cardiff

More than 200,000 trade unionists are expected to strike today in Wales in what is the largest protest against the Government's economic policies since Mrs Margaret Thatcher took office.

Welsh trade unionists will show solidarity with the steel-workers and miners by staying away from work or by holding short protest meetings. At least 8,000 others will

march through Cardiff to a rally where they will be addressed by Mr William. Sirs. Mr Laurence Daley, general secretary of the mineworkers' union, and Mr Michael Foot, MP for Ebbw Vale.

Although the strike has been called in support of the cam-paign against the British Sreel Corporation's policy of buying foreign coal many unionists consider it to be a wider protest against the Government's economic and industrial stra-

Faced with the possible loss of more than 20,000 jobs in steel and coal as Port Talbot and Llanwern works are slimmed down. Waies TUC officials fear that the so-called ripple effect of the decline in

double the jobless total Today's action is a com-promise by the Welsh trade

union leaders who wanted to launch an all-out indefinite strike. They have given the British TUC until March 10 to take firm action or they say they will proceed with a pro-longed strike led by the South Wales miners. Last night Mr George Wright.

zeneral secretary of the Wales TUC, said: "We are marching tomorrow because the Government and the corporation are taking vital decisions which affect every member of the principality without even talking

to us.
"If the corporation continues to import subsidized coal the social and economic consequences for Wales will be disastrous.

Mr Nicolas Edwards, Secre-tary of State for Wales, said it was easy to see steel and coal closures as the core of the economic and industrial crisis The truth is far different. This country is face to face with economic disaster. People must be brought to understand the gravity of a crisis that goes far wider than the fate of an individual industry or of a particular region.

US Olympic Committee votes for games to be moved, put off or abandoned

From Patrick Brogan Washington, Jan 27

The American Olympic Committee will formally ask the International Olympic Com-mittee that the Moscow Games be moved, postponed or can-celled. The committee decided this by a unanimous vote last night. A decision whether the United States should boycott the games if the request is rejected will be taken if that

The American committee will meet Lord Killanin, president of the IOC, at Lake Placid, New York, on February 10, on the eve of the Winter Olympics. The IOC may then meet, to grapple with the problem, and whatever the legal niceties of its charter, its members will vote on the instructions of their

governments.
President Carter set a deadline of February 20 for the
Soviet Union to withdraw from Afghanistan. The American committee would like to postpone the decision whether or not to boycott the games as late as possible—invitations must be accepted or rejected by May 24. The President may justist that mittee to ask for the Olympic

after yesterday's unanimous voic, and with the country behind the administration, there can be little doubt that the American committee will abide by his decision and boycott the

Since there would seem to be no chance that the Soviet Union will renounce its Afghan conquest, it may be taken that the Americans will not go to Moscow. If they can persuade a majority of other nations to agree, the Olympics will be moved and it will be up to the Russians to decide whether to go ahead with a schismatic Olympiad with their satellites Conversely, if a majority of the IOC decides to stick with

Moscow, as Lord Killanin has repeatedly said they should, then the Americans will be faced with the decision of what to do with their athletes, and those of nations which have joined the boycott. Emotions blamed: In Britain.

Sir Denis Follows, chairman of the British Olympic Association. said emotional pressure caused the United States Olympic Com-

Games to be moved (the Press "Patriotic fervour has been emotionally aroused in the United States which makes it difficult for them to look at things rationally he said.

But Sir Denis said he thought that members of the British

Olympic Association were un-likely to be moved by Mrs Margaret Thatcher's request to boycott the Moscow Games. Canadian boycott call: Mr Joe Clark, the Prime Minister, said that Canada would boycott the Olympics if Soviet troops were not withdrawn from Afghani-

In Berlin, Herr Willi Daume, president of the West German Olympic Committee, said he thought it possible that West Germany would participate the Olympic Games even if the Government recommended a

One of the chief Soviet Olympic organizers, Mr Vladi-mir Popov, said in an interview with the West German weekly. Der Spiegel, that the games would go ahead whatever happened.

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Royal yacht refit national scandal, Tory MP says

By George Clark Political Correspondent

Britannia being carried out at of running the Portsmouth, which could cost £2.15m a year. up to £2m according to some MPs, was attacked vesterday MPs, was attacked yesterday by Mr Charles Irving, Conserva-tive MP for Cheltenham, as nothing short of a national

Mr Irving said: "The Ministry of Defence must have gone totally barmy. This yacht was reequipped only about five years ago. I in no way blame he Royal Family, because they have nothing to do with it.
"But the ministry could hardly have found a worse way of projecting an image at a time when so many millions of people are suffering from high inflation and sterilized pen-

sions." He said it would be far less expensive and provide far more prestige for Britain, if Royal Family made more use of Concorde.

The Ministry of Defence last night could not give the estispokesman thought that there

answer given on January 19, which put the estimated cost running the royal vacht at

Mr leving, and also Mr Robert Cryer, Labour MP for Keighley, are tabling Commons questions to Mr Francis Pym, Secretary of State for Defence, about what they call "an incredible waste of money".

The last refir, in 1976, cost £1,379,000. This time it could

cost around 22m, altitough much depends on the extent of the repairs and maintenance. Since the last refit the Britannia has cruised 27,280 mles. The present work began in September and is expected to take another 31 Royal visit: The Queen and the

Duke of Edinburgh will pay a state visit to Italy this autumn, officials in Rome said on Saturday (Renter reports).
The Queen will attend a banquet at the Quirinale Palace and have talks with President

She is also expected to visit other parts of Italy but it is not known whether she will meet

REFUGEES from **AFGHANISTAN** in terrible

Crowded into the mountainous territory in Pakistan are over 500,000 Afghan refugees. They could bring little with them, and have been given refuge in a poor country.

need

They are in desperate need of food, shelter, clothing against the bitter cold, and medical supplies. Proudly independent they are reluctant to ask for help, yet their need is very urgent.

The best way to help the old who suffer acutely is to provide money for supplies. Help the Aged has already sent money for food and medical supplies, but much more is needed, quickly.

Please put your concern into action with a generous gift to: Hon. Treasurer, The Rt. Hon. Lord Maybray-King, Help the Aged, Room T4, FREEPOST 30, London, W1E 7JZ. (No stamp needed).

No nuclear stations for Denmark

Nuclear power stations have slipped down the list of Denmark's energy priorities. The Government has postponed indefinitely a decision on their introduction. It appears that Denmark will not now be in a position to adopt nuclear power until the twenty-first century at the earliest, if at all. The doubts about the viability for the country, on environmental, safety and economic grounds, were strengthened by the Harrisburg leakage. There is also the problem of disposing of reactor waste

Water men in talks

Talks are to be held in London roday to try to avert the threatened national water strike. It is the first time the four unions have met the employers since talks collapsed before Christmas when the unions rejected a 13 per cent pay offer

£6,000 drug for one kidney patient A drug that costs \$6,000 for each

patient was used at a south London kidney unit, which has had funds for transplants temporarily cut off because of overspending. A decision on new transplants to be carried out before April and ways of funding them is to be taken today Page 4

French driver wins

René Arnoux, a former French mechanic turned driver, won his first grand prix yesterday when his turbocharged Renault finished 21 seconds shead of the Essex Lotus of Elia de Angelis, of Italy, in Brazil. Alan lones, the world championship leader,

Editor questioned

The managing editor of the Madrid newspaper which reported an alleged military plot against the Spanish Government was ordered to appear before an army investigating officer. The report, linked to the transfer of an army general, has been vigorously denied by ministers Page 5

Safety measures by Yugoslav forces President Tito saw his Defence

Minister, who informed him on the measures that the Yugoslav forces were taking to test their preparedness. Military exercises held in some neighbouring countries close to their borders are said to have aroused Yugoslav suspicions

Corsican demands

A crowd of 5,000 demonstrated in Ajaccio, singing Corsican songs, wavng the Corsican flag and shouting Liberta. Socialists and Communists inined Corsican autonomists in the demonstration whose demands inchided the suppression of the police and the resignation of the French Minister of the Interior

Victory in sight

Mr Abolhassan Bani-Sadr, Iran's Finance Minister, looks set for a convincing victory in the country's first presidential election. The clergy, however, appear to have suffered severe reversals at the polls Page 5

Nine-plus tests call to raise standards Standardized tests for pupils aged

nine and 13 and regular checks by the Schools Inspectorate were suggested in a pamphlet aimed at raising education standards. It says that there is a link between underachievement in schools and unemployment, and the raising of standards is the most vital task facing Britain

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HOME NEWS.

Crucial talks today in effort to avert national water strike

Labour Reporter Crucial talks are to be held in London this morning to try to avert the threatened national water strike. It will be the first time the four unions have met the employers since negotiations broke down before Christmas, when the unions rejected a 13 per cent pay offer.

All the unions threatened to strike if National Water Council does not improve its offer, and in particular if no movement is made towards parity with workers in the gas and electricity industries.

Today's talks will centre on

implementing a joint study which, the unions claim, shows that water workers are paid on average £10 a week less than workers in the other two

The water council disputes The water council disputes that interpretation of the report, but is prepared to negotiate on comparability in the hope of finding a compromise, which could take the form of staging payments for comparability.

When talks broke down in December the water council said that because of the financial constraints placed on it by the Government it could not afford a higher offer. However, be cause of the threat of the first national strike and the strength of feeling among 32,000 workers in the industry the employers be making an improved

Leaders of the four unions General and Municipal kers, the Transport and Workers, the Transport and General Workers, the National Union of Public Employees and the agricultural workers' union. are sceptical whether the offer will be sufficient and said at the weekend that there was still a real prosect of a strike.

offer today.

The unions' claim was for increases of more than 46 per cent. They have worked out that the £10 comparability claim is worth 16 per cent, and in addition they were asking for a £15-a-week increase in the minimum basic rate and improvements on working hours, holidays and holiday payments.

Hattersley Trust may challenge rescue to Militants arts centre

By Our Political Correspondent

As a democratic socialist party, Labour had to make clear that people who did not believe in the transformation of society by democratic means had no right to be its members. Mr Roy Hattersley, MP for Birmingham, Sparkbrook, and a member of the shadow Cabinet, told party workers in Worksop, Nottinghamshire, on

Saturday.

He said he bitterly regretted the decision of the national executive not to publish the reports prepared by Lord Underhill, the former national egent, on the infiltration of local Labour parties by the Trotskyist "Militant Ten-

"The reasons given for the suppression of the reports have varied from the disgraceful to the ridiculous". Mr Hattersley

The Manifesto group moderate Labour MPs, some of whom think that Mr James Callaghan has not put up a strong enough fight against the influence of the left-wingers in the national executive, has called for action on the Under-hill report and for a change in the composition of the inquiry into Labour Party organization to give the moderates better

ment of further public spending

weeks, several ministers put

Mr Nicholas Edwards, Secretary of State for Wales, address-ing Pembroke Conservatives on

Saturday, said that Britain was

"face to face with economic disaster". People must be brought to understand the gravity of the crisis, which went

far wider than the fate of an

individual industry or region, he

Faced by the serious social

consequences of Welsh steel and

coal closures, it was very easy for the Welsh to see them in isolation and blame the Govern-

ment. "There is sadly too little recognition of the need to put

nur own house in order, to adjust to the consequences of a

further doubling of the world

go on spending more than we

As a consequence of spend-ing more than Britain earned,

the Government now paid nearly £10,000m each year in

social services, education or

tary to the Treasury, speaking at North Petherton, Somerset,

Mr John Biffen, Chief Secre-

interest, more than the budget for health and

face what will happen it

produce". he said.

oil price within a year, and to

cuts expected in the next few

serious financial plight i speeches during the weekend.

By Martin Huckerby The threatened closure of the Battersea Arts Centre, in south London, which could be one of the worst casualties of the local

government arts cuts, may be averted by a proposal that an the building.

When Wandsworth Borough
Council announced it was planning to save as much as £150,000 by withdrawing funds for the centre's activities, there was vigorous protest. The Friends of Battersea Arts Centre are hold

hall on Wednesday as part of the campaign. It now appears possible that funds raised by the gala will not be used for the campaign against the cuts, but instead will help to support a new public trust which would assume responsibility for the centre trust

ing a benefit gala at the town

later this year. Council leaders have agreed to meet representatives of the supporters, and a report from the meeting will be discussed by the council's recreation committee on March 4.

Although no decision has been made, it appears that the council might be willing to let the huilding to the trust at a peppercorn rent, and might also be prepared to make a grant towards the running cost he said. of the centre.

By Our Political Correspondent an unbalanced budget. When years, Last year, he said, Sir

wanted to borrow for produc-

raising direct taxes, so soon

after we have set out on a long-term campaign of income tax reduction? Or by cutting government expenditure?

"My choice is clear and direct: I would far prefer to see a substantial cut in government expenditure plans in-

herited last May. I see no merit

in a return to a tax situation where Britain's income tax rates

outstripped those of neighbour-

ing European countries."

In Scotland Mr Nicholas Fairbairn. QC, the Solicitor General for Scotland, said that the nation

had seen the folly of spending money that was not there to spend and had called in "Dr Thatcher" to cure that addic-

Thatcher" to cure that addiction to spending.
"The surgery on public ex-

penditure, on the so-called social wage, the free bit, will have to be increasingly drastic it we are to be cured, he

Writing in the News of the

In advance of the announce- the Government was known to Geoffrey Howe, QC, the Chan-nent of further public spending have a massive borrowing cellor of the Exchequer, was

requirement it was no wonder warned by his experts to expect

that interest rates increased, a balance of payments deficit Government, with its insatiable of £750m. In the event, it was demand, crowded out those who three times higger.

tive purposes.

"How then, are we to solve had been knocked sideways. The

this pressing and serious prob-lem?" Mr Biffen asked. "By round was running at 19.2 per

cent.

Tories explain Britain's plight

Lawyers criticize **Denning** judgment

By George Clark Political Correspondent

The Haldane Society of socialist lawyers, which represents more than, 500 practising and academic lawyers, issued a statement yesterday criticising the Court of Appeal's decision to forbid the extension of the steel strike to private

Mr Jeremy Smith, the society's secretary, said: "Pro-employer decisions on industrial disputes by Lord Denning in the Court of Appeal have time and again of late been set aside by the House of Lords. Yet once again Lord Denning and his Appeal Court colleagues have intervened against peaceful industrial action by workers in furtherance of a legitimate

dispute.
 Trade unionists have lost faith in the impartiality of the courts in cases concerning industrial action."

Mr Roy Hughes, MP for Newport and chairman of the steel group of Labour MPs, said: "Lord Denning is living up to his reputation. It is time he joined the old age pen-

Mr Robert Cryer, Labour MP for Keighley, said the decision could not be justified because the proposed extension of the strike to the private sector was clearly in further-

ance of a trade dispute.

In a letter to his local Conth a letter to his local Con-servative association, Mr Norman St John-Stevas, Chan-cellor of the Duchy of Lan-caster, Leader of the House of Commons and MP for Chelms-ford, said that Mr James Callaghan, the Leader of the Opposition was paid a salary by the taxpayers to act in not only his party's but also in the country's interests.

what has been heard from Mr Callaghan and his colleagues on the steel strike?" Mr St John-Stevas asked. "Not a word to discourage it. not a word to prevent its spreading to the private sector of the steel industry, where there is no dispute; not a word to encourage self-financing productivity deals to provide more pay for

the steel workers . . Having, like Pontius Pilate, washed his hands of all respon-sibility in these matters, he is now reduced to the irrelevant charade of wringing them." Mr Michael Marshall, Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Industry, speaking at Pembroke College, Cambridge,

last night referred to the siren voices" asking the Government to intervene
"We can dismiss the call from the Opposition; they only seek to use the dispute to embarrass the Government".

His forecasters contemplated

round was running at 19.2 per

tially increased the cost of servicing the public debt. and

although a Treasury minister

had been unable to give him

information on that, Mr Rippon

gave his estimate that the extra cost was \$500m for this year.

On the Labour side Mr Gavin Strang, MP for East Edinburgh and an opposition

frontbench spokesman, speak-

ing in his constituency yester-

day, said that only a reversal of the Government's policy of or the Government's princy of cutbacks in investment in pri-vate and publicly owned industry could save Britain from a level of unemployment

"A jobless total of over 200,000 in Scotland is had enough, but the sharp reduction of 1,500 in the seasonally adjusted vacancies figure can

the war", he said.
"Youth unemployment on

that scale is a cancer which

reminiscent of the 1930s.

High interest rates substan-

Law Report, page 4



Mr William Sirs: "Grave cause for concern at Lord Denning's judgment."

19 firms closed in West Midlands

Birmingham

Union officials reported full support from steel workers in the private sector at West Mid-lands manufacturing and lands

rerolling plants yesterday.

Mr Clive Lewis, a divisional organizer of the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation, said: We take our instructions from the national executive council, not from some fellow with funny hair. We have not changed our plans one iota and in fact we are increasing our activity. Nineteen companies were

closed down in the region yesterday with between 8,000 and 9,000 workers on strike. A further 1,500 staff members of the ISTC are expected to come out today.

The main plants affected

were Round Oak Steel, Brierley Hill, specialist steel pro-ducers, jointly owned by Tube Investments and BSC, where 3,000 were out; Patent Shaft Ltd., of Wednesbury, 2,000; clarified.

By Nicholas Timmins

Strike leaders intend to

maintain picketing

Steel strike leaders at Corby,

North-east said yesterday that

picketing would continue until they heard from their union executive.

Neither, area has much

private steelmaking, although steel workers from Corby last week picketed the Sheerness Steel Company, in Kent, one

of the largest private steel

Mr Michael Skelton, the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation

strike coordinator at Corby, said

the pickets had no immediate.

plans to return there, although

would maintain pickets at King's Lynn and at steel stock-

"We know nothing about the

holders in the Midlands.

Four injured in

producers.

Youth unemployment on the two public houses where 21 it scale is a cancer which people died in an IRA bombing is civilized society should attack in 1974, the marchers are confronted by opponents

the Ductile Steel Group, 2,000; and the Duport Group, 800. Most plants were being picketed.

Last night an advance guard of 400 extra pickets, mostly from Teesside and Yorkshire, began arriving in Birmingham to intensify the blockade of steel stackholders.

Mr Roy Bishop, divisional organizer of the ISTC, said: Our problem is accommoda tion, and we are trying to find a large hall to bed them down. Trade unionists and Labour Party members have helped out and I am investigating one offer by a local authority of a

"Until we hear to the con-trary from the national exec-utive we carry on so " There is no way we can take radio or television. The position is obviously fluid and will remain so while the legal posi-tion about an appeal is being

In the North-east there are no private steelmakers, but

there are two rerolling com-panies, which strike leaders expect to be involved in the dispute today. The Middles-

brough strike committee also

decided to continue picketing the nine or ten stockholders

"We are awaiting further inhappen at any time."

Further backing came from

Scots to ignore 'English court's ruling'

Mr Patrick Shevlin, chairman of the Scottish strike committee of the Scottish strike committee of the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation, said in Glasgow vesterday: "We do not like the decision by Lond Denning, but it was a legal injunction made in an English court and does not apply so Scotland. Our picketing of private steel firms, and the stonoirs of all move-There was some uncertainty about how far the injunction went, and whether it ordered and the stopping of all move-ments of steel throughout Scot-

land, will continue.
"Not one picket will be withdrawn. The effect of this deci-sion could barden the resolve of the striking steelworkers up and down the country. That will be the only effect it will have in Scotland.

only private steel rolling firms,
Mr Shevlin said.
Pickets would be engaged this

structions from the executive and until we get them we con-tinue as before. Anything can

. Today picketing pressure will be increased on stockholders, as the area strike com-mittee has rejected appeals to picket consumers, particularly large ones, like BL. They consider that cutting off supplies at source is the best way to use their thinly spread man-

the transport workers, whose powerful 5/35 branch of lorry drivers in Birmingham said yesterday: "Our policy is to support steel workers in every way. Drivers will konour picket lines, official or unoffi-cial, whereever they appear."

The West Midlands region of the Confederation of British Industry reported what is called a general increase in tension because of the stepping up of picketing planned for the stepping applies the stepping applications of the stepping applications for stockholding companies.

From Our Korrespondent

There were no privately owned steelmakers in Scotland,

tory of Hadfields, one of Shef-field's biggest private companies, went on strike at 6 am Later, senior union officials in the private and public sectors met at the South Yorkshire strike headquarters in Rother-

ham and decided to continue extending the strike to the pri-A meeting of the South Yorkshire strike committee decided that strike action in the private sector should go ahead in accordance with the union's national executive committee decision until such time as new instruc-tions were issued by Mr William Sirs, the confederation's general secretary of the national

From Ronald Kershaw. Northern Industrial

Despite the Court of Appeal

decision on Saturday that the steel strike must not be spread

to the private sector, Iron and Steel Trades Confederation members at the Leeds Road fac-

Correspondent Rotherham

yesterday.

executive.

At Scuntherpe a meeting of 60 shop stewards representing branches of the confederation in one of the most moderate areas of the union took a simi-lar decision.

Mr Keith Jones, divisional Mr Keith Jones, divisional strike coordinator, said branch meetings were held on Satur-day night, and yesterday's deck-sion was unanimous. He said steel supplies to private com-panies throughout the area would be stopped by pickets. Mr Joseph Pickles, the con-

Court of Appeal decision, but 1

Private steel strikers defy court ruling

have to advise our people that until the executive committee decision is rescinded they must arry on as pet instructions ".

He understood that members at Arthur Lee, another promi-near private Sheffield steel grafts, and Hadfields had agreed

to meket their own plants. Mr Pickles said: "If we receive an instruction to withdraw the pickets we shall do so. We do not want to violate the law of the land." That was the view of the strike committee as well, he said.

Mr Edward Thorne, secretary of the strike committee, pointed out; that the only infination members had of the court ruling was from the press and tale committee did not act on press statements. Mr Pickies forecast that the

national executive would give instructions not to involve the private sector, probably tomorrow.

It seems likely that confusion will arise in the Sheffield and Rotherham private sector works.

today, with some men report-ing for work and others taking strike action. The Firth Brown company.

for instance, bad withdrawn lay-off notices, Mr Pickles said. and due to a misunderstanding a number of private sector members had been told to report for work by union officials.

To recover the position, men

arriving for work at private sector companies would be rumed back by pickets today.

At Sheffield and Rotherham Mr Joseph Pickles, the congruenced back by poickets todayfederation's divisional officer. At Sheffield and Rotherham
who has 21,360 members in his plants in both sectors picketing
area, 14,000 of rhem in South was very light yesterday, with
Yorkshire, said confederation only two men at most works
members at private plants numity gates. There was no sign of
bered about 2,500, and they police at factory gates, but a
would be withdrawn. Police control unit outsids
"I am not unmindful of the Hadfields East Hecla works was

Army and prison service try to recruit men from Corby

From Frances Gibb Corby

Steelworkers at Corby are starting to turn to jobs in the prison service and the Army as the dates for closure of the plant in March draw near.

The prison service is mounting a big recruitment campaign to attract steelworkers to fill the 2,000 vacancies for prison officers expected throughout the country this year.

Already it has received about twenty inquiries and its two recruitment days at Corby, where 5.500 steelworkers are to lose their jobs, does not take place until next week.

"We will look at anyone", a Home Office official said. "Whatever numbers Cerby comes up with I am sure we could accommodate." The arms Careers Information Office at Careers Information Office at Corby, appropriately sited at Occupation Road, reports a doubling in the number of inquiries to beauty. inquiries to about 10 a week

over the past month. " Not all these are from steelworkers but since the strike year" Warrant Officer Morris Gonita₄ were mostly young men in their late teens or early twenties but there had been one steelworker, aged 29, who said he was still

Mr Shevlin said.

Dickets would be engaged this fortnight for the past six week on stopping all steel movements, and would maintain their running at around 40 a month vigilance at Scottish ports. .. with applications at around 15.

At the town's Jobsentre inquiries are building up to about helf dozen a day but the built is not expected until redundancy payments been made. Mr David Brier, the centre's

makager, said it was difficult to know whether it was the steel strike or the imminent closure of the works which was prompting inquiries. The strike is now likely to mean the delay of the big recruitment day at the works itself, which the Job centre was planning for next Monday. Some 60 firms throughout the country are

waiting to send representatives. Apart from the prison service and the forces, there will be a demand for skilled or semiskilled engineers, security stilled engineers, security spricers, plumbers electricians and traines psychiat metar established with expension and existing firms will preside the existing firms will be existent the existency of the exist

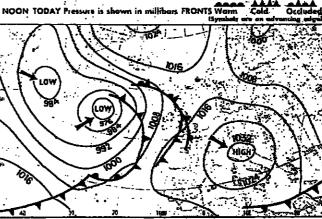
existing firms, will provide 500 jobs within the next three years. The town's development corporation are estimating that will be an extra 3,000 to 4,000 jobs. there has been quite a response

Compared with this time last limited. One of the new rights. make fibreglass boats and other olastic mouldings.

yogurt cups.
Mr. Brier is confident what in the end most steelworkers should find jobs. But in the end most steelworkers should find jobs. But in the end most steelworkers should find jobs. But in the s

But the response may not be high. One strelworker said:
"Even if you do a six months course most firms want, you to be apprantice-magnet. You cannot learn a new words in six months."

Weather forecast and recordings



fresh or strong, becoming moderate; max temp 9°C (48°F). Central N. NE England, Central Highlands, NW Scotland, Borders, Edinburgh and Dundee: Mostly cloudy, rain or sleet at times, snow on high ground, frost and some fog patches at first, wind SE, moderate or fresh, becoming: light or moderate max tempt. 7.46 am 4.42 pm. Moon sets: Moon rises: 7.46 am 🚅 4.40 am 1.40 pm

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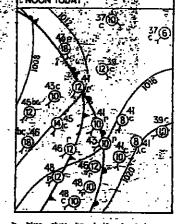
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A trough of low pressure will increasing to strong at times; imax.
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St George's Channel, Irish Sea:
Wind SE, strong to gale, becoming tough, becoming moderate.

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Castle diary tells of bitter Cabinet exchanges

More bitter accusations equiest the "defeatism" and manoeuvrings of Mr James Callaghan, Leader of the Opposition, when he was Home Secretary in the Labour government in 1969, are made in the third instalment of Mrs.

Inner Cabinet with the snake, "That was obviously with the should be speech. . . But the plotters a diary, Dick, so there will be speech. . . But the plotters a diary, Dick, so there will be someone to challenge the wouldn't work: Four of the Crossman version of history. We would not and would not serve that there should be an inner cabinet with the snake, "That was obviously with the speech. . . But the plotters a diary, Dick, so there will be someone to challenge the Crossman version of history. And by heavens I will!"

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yesterday. Then Secretary of State for Employment, Mrs Castle was trying to get Cabinet backing for her Bill on trade union reform based on her White Paper, In Place of Strife. Mr Callaghan was one of its opponents. It also ran into strong apposi-tion in the Parliamentary

Labour Party.

The day after one of the PLP's meetings on the subject. Mrs Castle writes, she wanted to discuss with Mr (now Sir) Harold Wilson, the Prime Mini-ster, Mr Roy Jenkins, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Mr Richard Crossman, Social Services Secretary, the fact that Mr Houghton of Sowerby) had "dropped a bombshell" at the meeting, more or less saying unions and the PLP, Mr Cross-man "launched into ferocious aimed at Jim. Douglas Houghton (now Lord have to compromise over the

Mrs Castle said she wanted to report her views on that by ditching Harole manneuvre "before we met in ing another leader.

World vesterday, Mr Geoffrey Rippon, MP for Hexham and leader of the Conservative group the European Parliament. on Saturday, said high interest attacked the inaccuracy of no civil rates were a direct result of Treasury forecasts in recent tolerate."

> Cabinet (later called the Management Committee) "that Callaghan interjected: "Sink could give us both coherence or sink". Mr Crossman then and continuity of strategy, rounded on Mr Callagian and linking together all the key asked how he could work with issues from Northern Ireland to the state of sterling ".

> Mr Crossman had said: "If you are going to do that, you must clearly have in the inner group people that you can trust, and by definition that rules out Jim."
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> In the daily continues. In my colleagues want me to go, I will, murmured Jim uncruand have been an in the colleagues want me to go, I will, murmured Jim uncruand him: "Why don't you go? Get

At another point she writes:
"We had taken care not to circulate any papers before hand, knowing our Jim. And in relation to the PLP meeting she commented: meeting she commented: family went on a holiday on.
They cannot even see that the Mediterranean in a yacht
Jim and Houghton are playing owned by Sir Charles Force. in double harness, like a comic and his feed man ".

attack, obviously aimed at Jim. Some people, he said, believed they could get us off the hook by ditching Harold and find-

Mrs Castle records that Mr he believed the next election was already lost.
The diary continues: "If

We all sut electrified Harold intervened soots-When Mrs Castle, ner husband. Mr Crossman and his

ishly when he could not get his way. "I knew he was an intellertual hully", she wrote, "but I did not know before that he cas a social one as well, which is far less excusable and makes the reliability of his judgment still more suspect."

the hotelier, she found that Mr Crossman suiked child-

And by heavens I will!"

Mrs Castle's frankness will delight students of politics, but that until the executive resume Labour MPs think that versed its decision his mem-

politicians may be fouling their wn nest. basis of the existing instruc-Mr Barry Sheerman, Labour | tion ". MP for Hudderwield, East, told constituency meeting on turday: "Pressures appear to have become very great for some of our party leaders to publish their instant memoirs of past events, well before there has been sufficient time

achieved. "There is also a temptation to emphasize and distort the importance of personal rivalries, trivia and gossip, rather than concentrating on the important issues, too often it seems with an eye to large sales and serialization in the

Sunday newspapers." He called for a written undertaking from MPs that all income derived from publica-tions concerning Labour should

position in the party.

went, and whether it ordered a balt to picketing of spock-holders and imports as well as private steelmakers. Mr John Lee, ISTC strike chordinator at Consett, con Durham, where about 100 "Hying pickets" have been active, said: "Among ordinary lay delegates feeling is very high and very strong against this legal action." they would go if they were asked. Meanwhile, Corby men. this legal action." Lord Denning's ruling, he said, was an "attack on the whole or the trade union moreinjunction. We shall be carrying on as normal until we hear differently from the executive." ment", and should be chal-lenged.

Men expected

to join strike clashes at Sinn Fein rally despite ruling Four people were injured and 1. arrested in street clashes during a Provisional Sinn Fein demonstration in Birmingham

there.

Continued from page 1 people in the mines, railways and even British Leyland. This will be unacceptable and is why the House of Lords must make testerday.

The trouble started as 2,000 a ruling as soon as possible. Not even the Government has sug-Sinn Fein supporters and left-wing extremists neared the city gested that we are involved in anything other than a trade dis-Scottish school-leavers this year to mark the eighth anniversary is worse than at any time since of the Bloody Sunday deaths the war "he said.

A few hundred yards from

Lord Denning had also apparently made a ruling forbidding secondary picketing. Mr Sirs said: "It would seem that he is anticipating parliamentary legislation which goes far beyond the judicial function of interpreting rather than my line. interpreting rather than making the law. On this occasion he has gone too far". Indications in reports reach-ing ISTC headquarters yester-

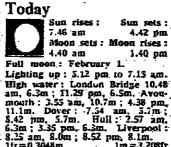
day were that most private sector steelworkers who had not already done so would join the strike today, in spite of the

bers "would continue on the Last night the negotiations

with the 11 unions at the Lon-don headquarters of the BSC were adjourned after eight hours. Both the ISTC and the NUB refused to attend the meet-ing because they said that amendments to the existing offer of 8 per cent plus 4 per for re-lection, balance or offer of 8 per cent plus 4 per historical perspective to be cent tied to productivity negotiations, disclosed to them at private talks with the corpora-tion on Friday, were not enough to allow full negotiations to

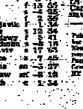
> Leading article, page 13 Death-bridge fence

Voluntary service organiza-County Council are to share the 12,000 cost of a fence for a bridge in Rocky Lane, Haygo towards party funds, and wards Heath, from which seven should be delayed for 10 years; psychiatric patients have fallen after the writer had held a to their death on the London to Brighton railway line.



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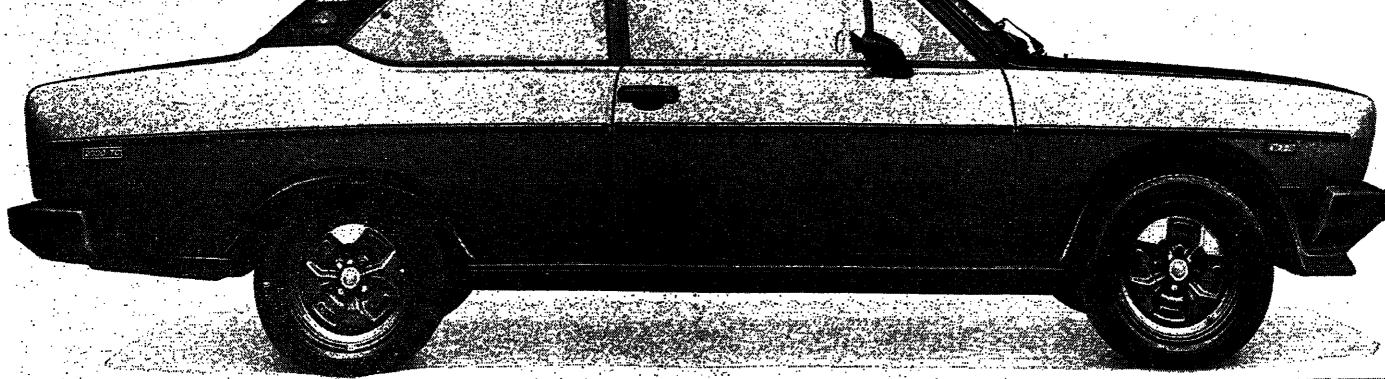


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An unobtrusive announcement from the makers of the Mirafiori, the car that took first and third places in the Monte Carlo Rally.



HOME NEWS____ Tests for children aged County study shows do-it-yourself service will pay off 9 and 13 urged to

Education Correspondent National tests for all children aged nine and 13, and the restoration of regular inspection

of schools by the schools in-spectorate are among proposals for raising standards in schools put forward in a pamphlet pub-lished today.

The pamphlet is written by Mr Vernon Bogdanor, senior tutor at Brasenose College, Oxford, and published by the National Council for Educa-tional Standards, of which Mr Rhodes Boyson was chairman Rhodes Boyson was chairman when a new series of papers on education, of which this is the first, were planned in December 1072

ber, 1978.

Mr Bogdanor, who like the council clearly believes that academic standards in schools have been falling, maintains that in so far as there is a direct link between underschiouspasses in schools and achievement in schools and unemployment "the raising of standards represents one of the most vital tasks facing Britain today . . . an urgent priority in struggle for economic

recovery."

The government of the day should offer a lead, indicating the direction in which improvement was to be sought. Mr James Callaghan, when Prime Minister, had attempted to do that when he launched the "Great Debate" in 1976.

But that debate had petered out. "Its only practical result seems to have been the introduction of still more committees and working parties composed of those members of the education establishment who had for so many years denied that conditions in schools were cause for concern", Mr

He echoes the sentiment of John Tomlinson, chairman of the Schools Council, who said that the "Great Debate" had " merely re-

Members of the National

Union of Teachers are to go on strike in four schools in Not-

tinghamsbire from tomorrow in

protest against the suspension

of a nursery school teacher who

one of her two full-time nelpers.

voluntary organization which

seeks to improve young people's characters by getting them to sea in small ships,

hopes to contribute to better community relations in North-

A ninth vessel is to be added

to the club's fleet of large yachts based around the United Kingdom. She is to be

permanently based in Northern

She is a 12-herth Nicholson

\$5 yawl, nearing completion in

the builders' yard at Gosport

and due to go into commission in June under the command of

Andrew Brown, of Chester, who, at 21, will be the young-

est of the club's full-time skip-

pers. He has been sailing in its

The new vessel will take

young people aged between 15

and 21 on seven-day and week-end voyages. Under club rules

mate since he was 15.

ern Ireland.

The four schools which will

By Our Education

Correspondent

to strike over suspension

refused to supervise her nursery work tomorrow. The NUT said unit of 40 children after losing it was auxious to avoid any

be affected by strike action to-morrow, on Wednesday and of the 2,500 NUT members in Thursday of this week are: Nottingham and south Notting-Pinewood Infants' School, hamshire show a large majority

raise school standards

the Titanic".
A new debate was now needed, grounded in reality to face economic restraints, and which did not avoid questions because they were politically embarrassing or offensive to the amour propre of headmasters or local authorities.

The first step toward raising standards must be to ensure effective monitoring of school performance, he says.

He calls for the reinstitution of full and regular inspections of schools by the schools in-spectorate and a concurrent diminution in the strength of local advisers and inspectors, who tended to be too attached to the ethos of the local authority to be able to criticize

it effectively. The abolition of the 11-plus examination meant that primary schools had little incentive to achieve high standards in basic subjects. New national, standardized tests should be introduced for pupils at. say nine and 13, to monitor the system and diagnose any weak-

The results of such tests should be made public, as should the results of all public examinations, though "league examinations, though "league tables" should be avoided. Parental choice of schools should be strengthened, and admission limits to schools, proposed under the Government's Education Bill, should be made flexible so as to allow, say, a 5 per cent variation either way around the prescribed limit around the prescribed limit.

A national teachers' profes-

sional council, similar to the General Medical Council for doctors, should be set up to weed out the minority of incompetent or idle teachers recruited during the period of teacher shortage.

Standards in Schools (National Council for Educational Standards, Kay-Shuttleworth Papers on Education, No 1, 75p).

Teachers in four schools

the William Sharp comprehen-sive school, Nottingiam.

NUT members in Robert Mellors Primary School, where Mrs Eileen Crosbie, the sus-

pended teacher, runs her nursery unit, have been instruc-

ted by the union to return to work tomorrow. The NUT said

one group of children being penalized for too long.

John Chartres
The Ocean Youth Club, the

ressels as an instructor and Mr Andrew Brown, skipper of the yacht for Ulster youth.

her crews will often be of The club has been sending chartering the 100-foot ketch both sexes and come from all at least one of its 72-foot Halcyon from the Southampton social classes and it is hoped ketches to Northern Ireland School of Navigation to supple-

Commuters may run minibuses

Studies carried out in the county's planning and transportation department suggest that do-it-yourself bus services operated by individuals or groups could not only provide a better work journey than the overcrowded buses, but also improve the viability of the conventional buses by relieving them of the unprofitable peak

The charge for passengers on the do-it-yourself 12-seater bus would probably be rather more, say £1.50 rerurn from an outlying district to central Nottingham, compared with £1 on the bus, but there would be a guaranteed seat, and the per-

Britain and

new air deal

British and United States gov-

ernment negoriators are to be-gin talks in London tomorrow

on their air services across the

North Atlantic. The Americans

are likely to press for further liberalization of routes Both sides are expected to

US seek

By Arthur Reed

By Robin Young

Consumer Affairs

The number of consumer

£4m support grant, according to the Advice Services in Crisis working

representing

advice centres is likely to be

cut to a sixth after the Government's decision to discontinue

group.

Pinewood Infants' School, hamshire show a large majority seven principal advice organiArnold; Brinsley Primary in favour of increasing the camSchool, Brinsley: Broom Hill paign in support of Mrs Crosbie,
Junior School, Hucknall and the union said.

The working party says centres may close, leaving this oversimplifies the comfewer than 20. "Expert conparison.

Charting a course across the Ulster cauldron

from all religious persuasions, for a month every summer

A week's voyage costs £79, since 1973. The demand for including food.

up and drop people. Some commuters in Noting-hamshire may soon be earning Mr Timothy Shillom the county hall official who carried out the large cars or minibuses to take their friends and neighbours to particularly to people with large families."

Another American experience is that bus drivers may be among those interested in running a personal bus; in fact, some schemes were launched there with cooperation of the unions. Mr Shillom says that two-thirds of the £30m a year paid

out by the county council to bus companies in subsidies go not on rural services, as most people think, but on urban services made uneconomic by the need to operate a fleet large enough to carry the morning and evening commuter flow, but largely empty for other parts of the day.

"The usual way of dealing with that", Mr Shillom says, "is to my to build up off-peak traffic with concessionary fares. This can be successful but there is a limit to what can be done. We have approached the problem from the other and by trying to remore the end, by trying to remove the

Notinghamshire spends £600,000 a year on bus subsidies, and like other counties is trying to reduce its expenditure further. But this amount is enough to meet only half the bus companies' losses, and further cuts would almost cerrainly lead to widespread reductions in the county's bus net

Tuere is a powerful attraction, therefore, in any grassroots initiative that would provide the service while relieving the rates and helping conventional buses.

JPs urged to make less use of imprisonment

Home Affairs Correspondent
Magistrates in Dorset sent
more male adult offenders
straight to prison in 1978 than
did those in any other police
area in the country, the Bristol
group, Radical Alternatives to

Prices (PAP) and Care Care dead

year for which statistics are
available. Gwent, bottom of the
table, sent only 3.56 per cent.
The national average is 8.07
per cent.

ARP says: "Local justice is
demonstrably inconsistent, unfair and unjust." Prison (RAP), says. Second and third in the "league" were Gloucestershire and Sussex.

"If all the magistrates in the country reduced their use

want to discuss the opening of further "gateway" cities into the United States. of imprisonment to that of Gwent, 6,000 fewer men would British Airways has a London-Miami service, but Laker Air-ways, the independent British be sent to prison each year, at an estimated minimum saving to the Exchequer of not less than f6m", RAP says.

"Magistrates in Dorset,
Gloucestershire and Sussex
are spendthrift benches who company, has applied to the Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) in London for a licence to fly between London and Miani, Orlando and Tampa, all in put vengeance above care for

the old and the sick." Florida.

British negotiators will also try to secure rights from the United States for British Airways to fly to New Orleans, and for British Caledonian to serve St Louis, Missouri, and Denver, Colorado.

the old and the sick."

RAP says prisons are maintained at the direct expense of social services.

Dorset sent more than 12 per cent of adult males committing indictable offences directly to prison during 1978 (the last

Sally Oppenheim,

at noia

Minister for Consumer Affairs, has said she hopes to see some

of the advice centres' work taken on by citizens' advice

She claims the bureaux are

more efficient, answering for £1 each queries that would cost

head. A total of 150 young

people were taken on voyages

Mr David James, the club's director, said: "We do not ask

any questions about religious

backgrounds. Our idea of an

young people with educational backgrounds ranging from bor-

stal to Roedean. We set out to

give young people a taste of adventure and to give them the

experience of living and work-

ing together in circumstances

where they have to depend on

each other for their comfort

and safety."
Although the new vessel for

which a name has yet to be selected, will be primarily for

the benefit of young people in

Northern Ireland, applications for places from the republic

will be given equal considera-

The Nicholson 55 will cost £110,000, of which about £32,000 has been found. An

appeal for the rest is to be launched shortly, mainly in

Fear for consumer centres

bureaux.

in a month.

Analysis of the 1978 figures has disclosed that the presence of a local prison in a police court area is one of the reasons for the large variations, RAP

Rates of imprisonment for each area were calculated for the four-year period, 1975-78 inclusive, to test the assump-tion that high rates of imprisonment deter and are therefore justified.

During that period crimes known to the police in England and Wales increased by 21.64 per cent. The rate of increase in known crime for the top 21 areas in the imprisonment league table was 24.56 per cent over the same period. That for the bottom 22 areas was 20.7

Soldier killed sumer advice may disappear for large numbers of people, especially outside London", it in Belfast

ambush by IRA From Christopher Thomas

their favourite tactics on Satur-day to kill a soldier who was in foot patrol in west Belfast. They held a family hostage in their Falls Road house for more than two hours as they waited for an Army target to present itself. At 10.35 am they fired on a patrol 120 yards away in Whiterock Road. A passing civilian was also injured

The dead man is Private Errol Pryce, aged 21, of the Duke of Wellington's Regiment. He came from Sheffield. In Londonderry a march in that year" he said. emoration of Bloody day, when 13 people were killed

£10,000 for the first year, whereas without it they cost

Hotel plan commended to save historic houses

Britain which could be saved hotel, if certain conditions are

Britain should do the same to save them from closure. the conservation of the national don, has also won his appeal heritage, because there may be against planning refusal for an another 20 historic houses in 18-hole golf course near the

and maintained if permission met.

Frm Our Correspondent
Chichester
Lord March and Kimara, who has been given planning permission by the Secretary of State for the Environment to build a 60-bedroom hotel in the grounds of Goodwood House, his ancestral home in Sussex, had not considered it harmful said vesterday that 20 other to the local environment bur said yesterday that 20 other to the local environment but owners of historic houses in also on the grounds of the need to increase revenue to maintain the national heritage." "The minister's decision Lord March, son and heir of could be very important for the Duke of Richmond and Gor-

WEST EUROPE____

Danish decision rules out nuclear power for rest of century

A south London kidney trans-plant unit, which has had its money for transplants out off Social Democratic minority Government in Den-mark has postpoued indefinitely

gion on the issue of nuclear

power this year, and putting the

power this year, and putting the matter to the nation in a referendum next year, as Sweden is to do in March. Nuclear power has figured in Danish energy plans since 1976, with 1991 the earliest feasible date for a power station to go into action, but doubts as to its use on environmental, safety and economic

mental, safety and economic grounds, have been exacer-bated by the Harrisburg in-cident in the United States.

Moreover, public opinion is split on the issue, and there is

a strong anti-nuclear lobby both inside and outside the

Folkering (Parliament), where there no longer exists a majority for it.

The Government says it has failed to find a satisfactory

solution to the thorny problem of disposal of reactor waste.

Selection of a suitable location for a nuclear power station has also posed an intractable problem. In a small,

highly populated country such

as Denmark there are simply

far away from large population centres in which to site an

atomic power station.

because of overspending, was using a drug that cost £6,000 a a decision on introducing nuclear power stations. The postponement, announced yesterday by Mr Poul
Nielson, the Energy Minister,
and Mr Ivar Noergaard,
Minister for the Economy and A total of £350,000 has been spent on the drug in the pass 10 months at Dulwich Hospital nhere 45 patients had kidney reasplants and 25 previous patients had supplementary treatment. Most transplant the Environment, effectively means that Denmark will not patients receive drugs costing about £1,000. now be in a position to adopt nuclear power in this century. Previous Government policy had aimed at reaching a deci-

The drug Pressimmune, is made by Hoechst and is produced by injecting human white blood cells into horses, waiting for antibodies to develop, taking a blood sample, and extracting the serum.

The high cost of the drug

Kidney drug

cost unit

transplant
By Annabel Ferriman

£6,000 a

was one reason why the kidney transplant unit at Dulwich financial year. That led the commissioners appointed by the Government to run the Lambeth, Southwark and Lewisham Area Health Authority to order the unit to stop carrying out transplants.

The unit was allocated 5200.000 for the year in to April. 1980, but spent £400,000 by December and was intending to spend another £200,000.
The British Kidney Patient
Association stepped in this
month and offered to fund it
to the end of the financial

The commissioners and the association have been negotiat ing on the offer because if another 20 transplants are car ried out before April it will involve the authority in increased expenditure for the next financial year. A decision

is expected today. Mr Michael Bewick, the kidney transplant surgeon at Dul-which Hospital, defended his use of Pressimmune because it provided an 80 per cent success rate in difficult cases, against 70 per cent for the drugs he used on patients at Guy's Hos-

pital. Mr Bewick said he had been penalized by the commissioners because he had worked out the cost of his programme, thus making it easier for them to cut it, while many other departments had not done so. He said that the financial administration of the health service was in confusion because noone knew how much any operation cost. If an authority was asked to make a 10 per cent cut, it did not know how to go about it.
The cost of a kidney transplant using Pressimmune was

no more expensive, because the patient suffered much less rejection, and therefore had to be in hospital for a shorter time the said. Mr Gordon Marsh, the area administrator, disagreed. "We estimate that with Pressimmune kidney transplants cost about

and Social Security said that by security forces during riot-ing eight years ago, went off the department that considered

Maltese leader by British ships From Our Own Correspondent Valletta, Jan 27

Valletta, Jan 27
Mr Dom Mintoff, the Maltese
Prime Minister, claimed at a
public meeting yesterday that
two British warships with helicopters flying overhead had
entered Maltese territorial
waters last month. Britain had
admitted that payal units had admitted that naval units had been within 12 miles of Malta but had said Malta's territorial waters only extended three

Mr Mintoff described the incident as "showing off and a taunt". In view of this Malta needed to organize its defence system. "Had we been armed we would have sunk them", he said. "We are never going to agree with them. We served them well during the last war A Brirish High Commission spokesman said the ships concerned were sailing within eight miles of Malta during routine exercises. The Maltese Goverament had been informed and no hostile act was intended. ship.

Nonetheless, the right-wing parties in Parliament are disdecision which observers seems tantamount to a final rejection of nuclear power. With no natural resources of its own, Denmark relies on oil for almost 80 per Its balance of payments difficulties have been accentuated by vast oil imports from the Middle

There are, however, a few bright spots on the horizon. Denmark expects that more than one-third of its energy needs will be covered from its North Sea oil and gas fields by the mid-1980s. In addition, electric power stations are being converted rapidly to coal, imported chiefly from Poland, South Africa and Australia, thus reducing Denmark's dependence on oil.

Gas links plan: The Norwegian and Danish Prime Ministers and energy ministers will meet next week to discuss an important step forward in distri-bution of Scandinavian natural gas from North Sea wells, the Sunday edition of the Danish newspaper Aktuelt reported

Norway was understood to be ready to link its gas lines with Denmark's, piping the fuel to the Danish provinces and to Sweden. The plan could also connect the Scandinavian network to the West German natural gas system. Aktuelt said the meeting was

arranged during unofficial talks a few days ago near Copen-hagen between Mr Odvar hagen between Mr Odvar Nordli, the Norwegian Prime Minister and Mr Anker Joergensen, his Danish counterpart. -Agence France-Presse.

The Pope blames divisions for extending Dutch synod

said today that lingering prob-lems between liberals and con-servatives had forced an extension of the special synod of Dutch Roman Catholic bishops at the Vatican.
The Pope's first public remarks about the substance of

the two-week secret meeting of Dutch bishops came during his weekly blessing to a crowd in St Peter's Square.

"The hearifelt thoughts of the Dutch biishops taking part in the special Vatican synod go out to the Christ who lives in and unites the Church, the Pope said, "The richness of the discussions and the multiplicity of problems requires that the work of the synod be extended into the first days of the coming Even if the Church is,

representatives was to have ended yesterday but the Vatican announced its extension on Priday saying that more work

humanly, divided, there never

ceases to be one body."

The special synod of seven Dutch bishops and 10 Vatican

was to be done.

A varican statement yesterday said the bishops were told it was their duty to promote and supervise religious instruction "in full harmony with the universal communion of the Carbolic Church".

It added: "It was underlined." It added: "It was underlined that the Dutch catechesis is not

without defects." The defects were apparent in -UPI ad Reuter.

insufficient propagation of the Faith and in "exaggerated pre-ference for one single method". The statement gave no details.

Russians win criticizes 'taunt' | European chess championship From Harry Golombek Chess Correspondent Skara, Sweden, Jan 27 With a comfortable win of 5—3

With a comfortable win of 5—3 over Yagoslavia in the last round of the European team chess championship finals bere, the Soviet Union retained the title by the impressive margin of 7½ pts over its nearest rival.

There was a close struggle for the second place between England and Hungary. In the end, the powerful Hungarian team, holders of the world championship title which they won in Buenos Aires in 1978, passed the young English team by half a point. In the last round Hungary beat England 5—3. Individual results of this match: Miles 1. Ponter 1. Steam 1. Ribil 1. Nunn 1. Adorian 1. Specimen 0. Say 1. Keene Coom 1. Mestel 0. Farago 1. Second 1. Pinter 1. Webb 1. Lukars 1. Other match results in the last round: Beilin 1. Pinter 1. Webb 1. Lukars 1. Swoden 4. Final acores: Soviet Union 56. Hungary 30. England 22. Swoden 25. Swoden 25. This is far and away the best result ever attained by an English team to this aroun in this aroun indeed it

result ever attained by an English team in this event and indeed it is the first time a non-East Euro-pean team has figured in the top three of the European champion-

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Court of Appeal

Private sector steel strike 'would have disastrous effect throughout British industries'

Duport Steels Ltd and Others

posed strike would have disastrous economic consequences for the country, the court in its discretion has jurisdiction to grant an injunction to restrain it.

The Court of Appeal allowed an appeal by the plaintiffs, Duport Steels Ltd and 15 other private sector steel companies, against the refusal of Mr Justice Kenneth Jones in chambers to grant an injunction restraining the defendants. Mr William Sirs, Mr Lealie Bramley and Mr E. Makepiece, sued on their own behalf and on behalf of all members of the executive council of the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation, from instructing members of the con-Steel Trades Contederation, from instructing members of the confederation to break their contracts of employment with the plaintiffs by striking or interfering with the supply of steel or steel products to or from the plaintiffs or by taking any other industrial action.

or by taking action.
Section 13(1) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations Act. 1974, as amended by section 3(2) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Amendment) Act, 1976, prevides: "An act done by a person in contemplation or further-ance of a trade dispute shall not be actionable in tort on the ground only-121-that it induces another person to break a contract or in-terferes or induces any other person to interfere with is perform-

Section 17(2) of the 1974 Act, is amended by the Employment Protection Act, 1975, section 125 i). Schedule 16, Part III paragraph 6, and the Trade Union and abour Relations (Amendment) Act, 1976, section 3(2) provides: decision to call a strike. On January 16 the union took the important decision to call out the workers in the avoidance of doubt that where in application is made to a court, bending the trial of an action, for in interfocutory injunction and the man wanted to carry on working. Duport Steels Ltd and Others

V Sirs and Others

Before Lord Denning, Master of the Rolls, Lord Justice Lawton and Lord Justice Ackner.

It is strongly arguable that a strike which has the object of coercing the government is not a strike "in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute" within the meaning of section 13(1) of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Amendment) are avoidance of doubt that where an application is made to a court, pending the trial of an action, for an amended and where such a proposed strike would have disastrous economic consequences for the country, the court in its discretion in stabilishing the imparty's succeeding at the trial of the action in establishing the matter or matters which would, an appeal by the plaintiffs, Duport

the action in establishing the matter or matters which would, under any provision of section 13, 14(21 or 15 above, afford a defence to the action."

Section 29 provides: "(1) In this Act 'trade dispute' means a dispute between employers and workers, or between workers and workers, which is connected with one or more of the following, that is to say—(a) terms and conditions of employment, or the physical conditions in which any workers are required to work;. ""

Mr Alexander Irvine, QC, and Mr Christopher Carr for the plaintiffs; Mr J. Melville Williams, QC, and Mr John Hendy for the defendants; Mr Peter Scott, QC, and Mr Bruce Coles for Sheerness Steel Co Ltd.

The MASTER OF THE ROLLS The MASTER OF THE ROLLS

or lose their linion caros and perhaps their employment.

January 27 at 6 am, was fixed by the union executive on January 16 for the beginning of the strike in the private sector; and all steel movements in and out of the United Kingdom were also to cease at that time.

Why did the trade union decide to extend the strike to the private sector? It was amply shown that, by letters written by Mr Sirs and instructions given to union branches that the union had decided that one way of achieving their ends was to bring pressure to bear on the government. By that time the union knew that BSC had no money, and that the government had declined to give any more money—or to print more—to increase the wages of the workers. Section 4 of the Iron and Strel Act, 1975, dealt with the general powers of the Secretary of State in relation to the British Steel Corporation.

On January 17 Mr Sirs wrote to the January 18 Mr Sirs wrote to the sector of the Sector Steel Corporation.

On Jamery 17 Mr Sirs wrote to the Independent Steel Employers Association saying: "Whilst agreeing that there is no dispute with any independent steel employer [my executive council] were firmly of the opinion that this dispute is becoming politically stage-managed by the Conservative government. We feel that with not being made an offer of The MASTER OF THE ROLLS said that it was important to distinguish between the public sector and the private sector of the steel industry. The public sector accounted for 40 to 50 per cent of production, the private sector for nearly 20 per cent of production and about 25 per cent of processing products, the annual turnover being £1,500m.

At the beginning of this year a dispute arose between the British with not being made an offer of any new money, that we are

men wanted to carry on working.
Nevertheless they were ordered to
strike; and if there was no court
order they would have to strike
or lose their union cards and
perhaps their employment.

knew that they were going against all the industrial agreements that they had made because Mr Sirs continued: "I recognize the fact that our procedure agreements do exist and we do not have a dispute with you, nevertheless these points have been made to our executive who have ultimately taken this decision."

On January 21 Mr Sirs stated in a letter to branch secretaries that after the executive had considered a progress report: "It was apparent that the strike was developing into a confrontation between the government and the trade unions."

It was clear that the union's aim was to force government intervention in order to bring pressure on the government to increase payments to BSC. trade unions. There was evidence that a strike in the private steel sector would have a disastrous effect not only

on all the private companies but throughout British industries. Our competitors abroad would clap their hands. It was not surprising that 16 companies had brought the present action for an injunction to stop such a disastrous strike.

The judge felt that he must refuse
it because of the recent decision open to the courts—indeed their open to the courts—indeed thei

being singled our for a direct government and British Steel Corporation attack. It is because of the political intervention that my executive council feel that we should now take the action of involving the private sector in the public battle against the government attitude."

His Lordship said that the union knew that they were going against the government what they were going against By section 29 of the 1974 Act a do nothing. Their Lordships had gone through the judgments in that case and they were not nearly so clear as some would believe. By section 29 of the 1974 Act a "trade dispute" meant inter alia "a dispute between employers and workers." There was certainly a "trade dispute" between BSC and its workers.

Was that the only dispute? On the evidence there was arguable Was that the only dispute? On the evidence there was arguable ground for thinking that there was a second dispute, not between workers and employers in the private sector, but between the union and the government in which the union was putting pressure on the government—to bring them to heel—so that they would provide more money—taxpayers' money—for the industry. There was no immunity in respect of it.

The second dispute could not be regarded as a trade dispute. It was said that it was connected with the first dispute because it concerned "terms and conditions of employment". But it was arguable that those further acts were done to bring pressure on the government and not in furtherance of a trade dispute. trade dispute.

In McShane there was only one member of the House of Lords, Lord Wilberforce, who dealt with

the question of removeness and he

expressed the law as his Lordship had always understood it to be. He said (at page 94); "It is always open to the courts—indeed their

involve the judges in cutting down what Parliament has given..."

In Associated Newspapers Group v Wade ([1979] 1 WLR 697) the Court of Appeal granted an injunction because the acts relied upon were too remote from the trade dispute. His Lordship said (at page 713): "Some acts are so remote from the trade dispute that they cannot properly be said to be remote from the trade dispute that they cannot properly be said to be 'in furtherance' of it. When conduct causes direct loss or damage to the employer himself (as by withdrawing labour or stopping his supplies it is plainly 'in furtherance' of it. But when trade umous choose not to cause damage or loss to the employer himself, but only to innocent third parties —who are not parties to the dispute—... the act done may then be so remote from the dispute itself that it cannot be reasonably be regarded as being done 'in furtherance' of it."

It was arguable in the present

As to section 17(2) of the 1974
Act (concerning the granting of interlocutory injunctions) which was considered by the House of Lords both in NWL Ltd v Woods (1979) ICR 867) and McShane their Lordshps had pointed out that there were other matters to be considered in addition to the likelihood of success at the trial (see Lord Diplock, page 881). Lord Scarman (page 890) said: "I do not rule out the possibility that the consequences to the plaintiff (or others) may be so serious that the court feels it necessary to grant the injunction; for the subsection does leave a residual discretion with the court."

Again in McShane (page 105)

It was arguable in the present case that there was no immunity for calling out the men in the private sector because it was a dispute with the government, with no immunity.

Again in McShane (page 105) Lord Scarman said: "In a case where action alleged to be in

contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute endangers the nation or puts at risk such funda-mental rights as the right of the public to be informed and the freedom of the press, it could well be a proper exercise of the court's discretion to restrain the industrial action pending trial of the action."

There was a residual discretion in the court to gram an injunc-tion to prevent action, as here, which could cause grave damage which could cause grave damage to the economy and the life of the country, and put the whole nation and its welfare at risk, unless it was clear or in the highest degree likely that there was a defence that was likely to succeed at the trial. The calling out of the private steel workers would have such a disastrous effect that an injunction should be granted, and the appeal should be allowed.

LORD JUSTICE LAWTON, agreeing, said that no doubt the union had hoped for victory after a short, sharp strike. The history of the past two decades tended to show that whenever there had been a dispute between unions and nationalized industry there was a tendency for government intervention, followed fairly quickly by a settlement to the advantage of the strikers. Unfortunately for the union in the present dispute there was no government intervention, and it had become clear that there was not going to be that there was not going to be any intervention in the foresee-able future. It followed that there would be no quick victory and that the dispute would be one of long attrition.

Mr Sirs, in his letter of January 21, referred to the strike developing into a configuration between the government and the union; and it was decided to involve the private sector, although volve the private sectes, although

the union had no quarrel with it.

Steel would be stopped going to industry, work would cease and there would be unemployment.

Any trade union could bring pressure to bear on a government!

provided it did so in a lawful way, but immunity from legal action applied only where the pressure was in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute. Was what was done after January 16 in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute? It was strongly a trade dispute? It was strongly arguable that a strike the object of which was to coerce the government was not a strike in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute. So there were two disputes: one a trade dispute, and one not. one not.

Prima facie it looked as if the decision to involve the private sector was for the purpose of coercing the government. The court could look to see whether what was done was in contemplation or furtherance of a trade dispute, and only if that were so did McShane come into operation.

On the evidence it was strongly arguable that what happened after January 16 was not in contempla-January 16 was not in contempla-tion or furtherance of a trade dis-pute. So section 13(2) was of very little value. LORD JUSTICE ACKNER, also

agreeing, said that the court was not deciding the action. The question was whether in the court's discretion the pre-trial relief of injunction should be granted. His Lordship agreed that there was a seriously arguable question whether there were two disputes. If there was a second dispute with the government that would nor be a trade dispute.

The appeal was dismissed with costs, and leave to appeal to the House of Lords refused.

Solicitors: Allen and Overy; Russell, Jones and Slaugher and May.

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OVERSEAS____

President Tito hears report on steps taken by Yugoslavian forces to test their readiness

cerned.

Belgrade, Jan 27

As President Tito continues to make spectacular recovery— aiready seeing his aides and ward—last week's nospital ward—last weeks anxiety gave way to relief Yugoslavia gained confidence in safeguarding itself by demonstrating political unity

and military preparedness.
Today President Tito saw
General Nikola Libicic, the
Minister of Defence. A brief
communique said he was in-Yugoslav armed forces had taken to test their readiness in the face of world tension, and particular the Soviet invasion of Arghanistan.

A combined military exercise was carried out over the weekend by the Belgrade garrison. The chief of staff of the Yugoslav armed forces disclosed that fairly large foreign mulitary exercises "close to military exercises "close to Yugoslav borders" had aroused Yugoslav suspicions, prompting demonstrations that Yugoslavia not be caught unprepared.

He did not specify the country or countries concerned, but recently there were reports of exercises in Hungary and in Eulgaria. He said that whereas the Yugoslavs always made a point of informing their neighbours of their own exercises this was not done by their neighbours in this particular

routine reaction to the general world tension. But they obviously had a special meaning, particularly as some sources claim that the measures had been deliberately delayed in the expectation of some clarification by countries con-

The invasion of Afghanistan The invasion of Atghanistan has already provoked firm Yugoslav reactions. A senior official said that the Soviet Union's credibility was seriously damaged. It has confirmed the Yugoslavs in the belief that Russia has never really given up hope of tying Yugoslavia to its block. This has been proved in the past and the message has been driven home that this is still the case.

The anniversary of the death of Mr Edvard Kardeli, architect of the Yugoslav political system, who died last year and whose memoirs were published vesterday, provided the oppor-tunity for emphasizing this

A senior Yugoslav official speaking at the ceremony, condemned the continuing practice of "forcing socialism upon other peoples" through fraternal aid" or by military intervention such as now witnessing in Afghani-

In his memoirs Mr Kardeli. whom the Russians never trusted, recalled that in spite Yugoslavians are, however, of formal agreements and the economic pressure to hurt at pains to emphasize that the Russians' pledges to respect Yugoslavia

Yugoslavia's independence, he was convinced that they never gave up hope of drawing the country into the Soviet block. He described the pressure to which the Russians had submitted ham on several occasions from 1948 onwards under Stalin, and then under Khrush-

Another senior Yugoslav official, Dr Vladimir Bakaric, recalling a visit to Moscow in 1948, on the eve of the break in relations between the two countries, quoted Marshal Tito as saying: "The Russians will bully you if you jet them."
Yugoslavia is facing a grave

Yugoslavia is facing a grave economic situation as a result of the overheated economy and the world energy crisis. Inflation is up to 30 per cent, unem-ployment to 15 per cent of the total labour force, the balance of payments deficit has risen close on \$6.5m (about £3m) and the country's debts with foreign banks total \$13m.

The Yugoslavs assert that the EEC's failure to give better opportunities to Yugoslav exports has inflicted serious damage on the country. As a result over 50 per cent of Yugo-slav trade is now with the Comecon (eastern block) coun-

This is something the Yugoslavians have for years been anxious to avoid but they say they had no choice because the EEC negotiations kept dragging on. The Russians could use

Greeks seek reintegration in Nato

Athens, Jan 27

Urgent Greek defence problems resulting from new tensions between East and West, especially in conjunction with rossible developments in the Eslkans, were reviewed at a high level meeting held in Athens over the weekend under the chairmanship of Mr Constantine Karamanlis, the Prime Minister.

The meeting, the second such consultation in 10 days, was attended by Mr Evalghelos Averoff, the Defence Minister, Mr George Rallis, the Foreign Minister, General Ionnis Dayos, the newly-appointed Defence Under-Secretary, and General Agamemnon Gratsios who succeeded General Davos as Chief of the National Defence General Staff.

No details were released of what was discussed but it is evident that the world crisis emanating from the Soviet invasion of Afghanistan and President Tito's sudden illness,

Prisoners of

conscience

Argentina;

Dr Marchesini

Dr. Victor Carlos Marchesini

e lawyer and secondary school teacher, aged 49, has been in prison in Argentina for more

than three years without hav-

ing been charged or brought to trial. Frequent inquiries about

the reason for his arrest have

brought only the reply that he

is held for his "links with sub-version" and for defending

'subversive elements in the

At the time of his arrest Dr

Marchesini was a respected figure in local politics. He was

twice elected provincial deputy in Misiones, and was president

of the parliamentary group of the Radical Civic Union, the

majority party in the province.

He was also a former president of the Misiones Bar Associa-

In 1975 Dr Marchesini made

a series of critical attacks on the Government of President Maria Estela Perón, which he

accused of excessive repression. Two weeks after the military coup of 1976 he was

Dr Marchesini spent the first

years of his detention at Resis

years of his detention at Resistencia prison, and when that closed he was moved to Caseros, a modern jail in Buenos Aires, where many political detainees are held. There have been numerous complaints about Caseros, that there is a shortage of food and there prisoners are held in com-

that prisoners are held in con-stant isolation. Dr Marchesini

is said to be in extremely poor

Both the United Nations and

the Organization of American States have protested against his continuous detention

As someone charged with subversion he is now in the hands of a special military tribunal. A "subversive" in

bunal. A "subversive" in Argentina today is anyone who wishes to achieve his ideo-logical ends "hy means other

than those contained in the

political, economic and social life". rules governing the country's

Annesty International believes that there are 8,000 people in custody in Argen-

tina. Dr Marchesini is one of

the many who has not only never been brought to trial,

imprisonment.

but who faces indefinite

courts

arrested.

By Caroline Moorehead

have been posing problems for defence. adding Greece's urgency to the need for an end to the present ambiguity in the country's military links with

Western efforts to overcome Turkey's objections to an unconditional return of Greece to the integrated military struc-ture of the alliance, chiefly as regards operational jurisdiction in the Aegean, have apparently been unsuccessful General Nato's Bernard Supreme although Rogers, Commander in Europe, is persevering in his quest for a reintegration formula that is

accepted also by Turkey.

President Tito too, is known to be eager to see Greece once again firmly anchored in Nato, both as a deterrent to a Soviet adventure in the Balkans, directly or by proxy, and as a Western lifeline for Yugoslavia in case of war.

In recent years, Greek and Yugoslavian defence ministers, and military chiefs established frequent contact

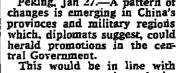
Greek Government and the tenance of a balance of forces between Greece and Turkey which is in danger of being tipped in favour of the latter by the large-scale military aid promised under the American-Turkish defence cooperation agreement signed earlier this

This is further accentuated by the aid pledged by Nato

An American-Greek defence cooperation agreement, ini-tialled in 1977 but never signed, had been aimed at maintaining a 7-to-10 ratio in American military aid granted to Greece and Turkey, in exchange for bases in those countries, precisely in order to maintain an equilibrium in the Aegean.
This agreement will have to

be renegotiated in the light of what the Turks, who are evidently tougher negotiators than the Greeks, have wrested from Washington.

Promotions within China's leadership expected



January 16. Chinese sources said that Mr

Deng had spoken of the need to promote experienced staff and for a change in style to encourage leadership by example rather than decree. Changes are also appearing

in the central ministries Western diplomatic sources report the appointment of Mr Gao Yangwen, a former Deputy Minister in the Ministry of Metallurgical Industry, as Minister for Coal His predecessor, Mr Xiao Han, was, according to the sources, pro-moted to the post of Deputy Minister in the State Economic Commission.

At the provincial level. Suchuan province and the city of Shanghai both have new Communist Party second secre-taries, which could release the leaders for posts in Peking. The new party second secretary in Suchuan, China's most populous province, was named

Mr Tan Qilong, former first secretary in Qinghai province, who is considered by distributions of the considered by distri who is considered by diplo-matic sources as one of the most experienced provincial adminis-

A report in the Shanghai newspaper Wenhubau said a one year for removing birth new second secretary of the control devices for pay from city's party committee, Mr Chen Guodong, had been chair-

Critical paper

in Nicaragua

closed

Peking, Jan 27.—A pattern of man at a meeting on Friday to changes is emerging in China's strengthen the ties between civilian and military authorities in Shanghai.

A radio broadcast from Anhui has also reported that This would be in line with the new provincial governor is reports on a speech made by Mr Zhang Jingfu, a former Mr Deng Niaping, the senior Finance Minister and at Deputy Prime Minister, on present a member of the State Finance and Economic Commission. The party first secretaries in Suchuan and Anhui provinces are Mr Zhao Ziyang and Mr Wan Li respectively. The party first secretary and mayor of Shanghai is Mr Peng Chong.

There have been suggestions that all three could be promoted to posts of deputy prime ministers in the central Government. This would explain the moves of senior staff to their areas.

As for the military, Mr You Taizhong, a deputy commander of the Peking military region and former commander of the Inner Mongolia military district, has filled the vacant post of commander of the Chengdu military region, which takes in Suchuan and Tibet.

In the province of Guang-dong, two local Communist Party officials, Mr Liu Keku, secretary of a production bri-gade, and Mr Liu Tunglai, his during the cultural revolution according to the Swatow daily newspaper.

A woman was sentenced to

Police play down bank terrorists' tie to ANC

Cape Town, Jan 27 The bodies of the three terrorists shot by police after they had held 25 hostages for six hours in a Pretoria bank have been identified, but police refuse to name them except to say that two were from the Pretoria district and one from Soweto. the Johannesburg Soweto, the Johannesburg black township. They had all been on the police wanted list

for some time.

The Government has also decided to withhold details of the political demands made by the gang, apparently to deny publicity to the banned African National Congress (ANC), to which the raiders said they be-

Senior police officers who talked to the terrorists have denied that the men asked them for the release of Mr Nelson Mandela, the ANC leader who is in jail on Robben Island near Cape Town. Some of the hostages had

said this demand was made to them, and that the gang also wanted an aircraft to fly them to Maputo.

Brigadier Johan Coetzee, chief of the police security branch, who went into the bank to ralk to the gang, left there a tiny transmitter which enabled police to monitor conversations beand another device dropped down an air shaft alerted the police to the gang's decision to start shooting the hostages, police said. A special unit then stormed the bank.

The three raiders were killed outright but one of them first shot dead Miss Cindy Ander-son, aged 19, a bank teller. Another hostage, Mrs A de Klerk, who was also a bank employee, died in hospital on Saturday morning. Two other women and a police constable were still in a critical con-dition today in a Pretoria hos-

pital.
Suggestions that the attack, in which hostages were taken for the first time in South Africa, marks an escalation of the terrorist campaign are discounted here. Mr Louis Le Grange, the Minister of Police described the siege as "a sporadic inci-dent," though he said it could happen again. "I have no reason to believe this type of thing will happen frequently." He said the terrorists had almost certainly come from Angola, where most ANC terrorists were being trained for attacks on South Africa.

Leaders of the two main opposition parties, the Progressive Federal Party (PFP) and

New Republic Party, joined the Government in congratulating the police on ending the siege, but the PFP said-that toughness against political terrorism must be combined with faster political change. More operations: The ANC said in Lusaks today that its men would stage more operations like the bank seizure in Pretoria, and in future would

kill all their hostages if police' are prepared to be. We will

have to match their ruthlessness regardless of the consequences". spokesman said. He said that the ANC saluted the three men "for dying for such a noble cause. They will

be buried in the full knowledge that others will continue the struggle ".--Agence

Troops kill 17 guerrillas in El Salvador

San Selvador, Jan 27.—Seven-een leftist guerrillas were killed late yesterday in a clash with members of El Salvador's Army at Guatepec, 33 miles west of here. Three soldiers were wounded

in the fighting, which broke out when police and soldiers stationed nearby intervened after the guerrillas, members of the Marxist Popular Liberation Forces movement, occupied the town, erecting barricades regained control of the town after the hour-long clash seized

arms and munitions. In a night of violence a bomb destroyed the head-quarters of El Salvadox's Girl Guide movement here and bombs exploded at other sites in the city. Girl Guide leaders denied rumours that their premises had been used for political meetings. More than
70 people have been killed in
political violence in El Salvador during the past week. Agence France-Presse.

US asks Japan for details of Soviet spy scandal

Managua, Jan 27.-The revo-Tokyo, Jan 27.—The United States has asked Japan for a detailed report on the leak of military secrets in a Soviet spy lutionary Government of Nicaragua has shut down the newspaper El Pueblo and arrested its editors, who were accused case in its Defence Agency, government sources said today. of being counter-revolutionaries and sabotaging plans to stimu-They said the secrets passed to the Soviet Union by a retired late the economy.

Commandant Daniel Ortega, army general and two officers on active service included in-formation provided by the United States under the United

involved.

States-Japan security treaty, as well as information collected by Japanese intelligence. The cources believed that military intelligence on China was

General Shigero Nagano, Chief

of Staff of the Ground Self-Defence Force will hand in his

resignation tomorrow to take

the blame for the spy scandal.

Sources in the Defence Agency said he would be re-placed by General Toshimichi

Suzuki, commander of the force's central district division.

Disciplinary action would be

a member of the ruling coun-cil, said in an announcement yesterday that the newspaper was occupied by the military where days ago and that the origin of its machinery would be investigated. In its last editions El Pueblo criticizado the Government's plan to give "great opportunities to the bourgeoisie and the business-men and few benefits to the

It also criticized the presence of the bourgeoisie in the Government and urged the workers to take power. Commandant Ortega said the paper's editors would be tried by tribunals.—

taken against about a dozen senior officers including General Nagano and General Akira Watari, the deputy direc-tor of the Defence Agency, who would be ordered to take a 10 per cent cut in their pay. General Yukibisa Miyanaga

retired, and two of his former subordinates were arrested last week for passing classified in-formation to the Soviet Union. Sources said the Japanese Government would lodge a protest with the Soviet Govern-

ment over the case and make apologies to China.

They said that information on China was believed to include reports on military installations, size and equip-ment of the Chinese Army and Air Force and the air defence system along the Chinese Soviet

border.
The two officers in custody are First Lieutenane Eiichi Kashii and Warrant Officer Tsımetoshi Oshima.

The Catholic controversy

Parallels with the Sakharov case

Tübingen=Professor Hans Kung accuses the Roman Catholic Church of trying to solve the problem he poses in much the

same way as the Soviet Union deals with its dissidents.

His own case, says the recently banned Swiss theologian, is a striking parallel to that of Mr Andrei Sakharov, the leading Soviet dissident :

He and Mr Sakharov, his reasoning goes, are loyal members of their communities, one of the Church, the other of the Soriet Union. Both see that their respective systems function badly and both believe they must be made more democratic in

order to survive.
"Since the Soviet dogmas do not permit discussion they transported him to another city. The Church wants to silence But the ban on his teaching theology does not solve the problem of the Church,

From the book-lined modern study with its view over the snow-dusted Swabian bills, Professor Kung is determined to carry on his fight to change the methods and structures of the Church's government in the far-off stately palaces of the

Vatican.

He is equally determined to fight the attempt to have him removed from the theological faculty at Tübingen Universiry. He has deliberately chosen a difficult

and thorny path which he could easily have avoided. For Professor Kung is in no danger of being dismissed from Tubin-

He could go on teaching as he liked in another faculty, for instance philosophy, although his students' examinations would not be recognized by the Church. Or he could have what he describes as "a wonderful life" as a research fellow without having to lecture "or bother about the Roman Curia"

But, he says, if he did not fight "I would really not be loval to the community of believers and a lot of people would be disillusioned. Many people would think I had betrayed them."

Professor Kung's refusal to go has raised extremely difficult legal problems. Tübingen University is run by the Land



Professor Han Kung.

of Baden-Württemberg and professors are appointed by the Minister of Education with, in the case of the theological faculty, the approval of the local bishop. What happens if, as in this case, the bishop asks for him to be removed?

His removal would be fairly simple under the pre-war concordat between the

former state of Baden and the Vatican. But this was never formally extended to Würrthemberg, where Tübingen lies, when the two states became a federal Land after the 1939-1945 war.

Würtemberg would appear to be governed by the 1933 Reichconcordat between Hitler and Mgr Eugenio Pacelli. then Papal Nunzio and later Pope Pius XII, which is vague on this point. If Professor Helmut Engler, the Land Education Minister, yields to the bishop's wishes. Professor Küng will appeal indicating a list of legal irregularities he says the Vatican itself has committed. The

fight would be long and extremely com-plicated.

Hans Kung says he has always been willing to go and have a serious discussion of his views. But he is not prepared to submit himself to an "inquisition" which denies the right of the accused to know details of the charges against him, where he is not able to nominate his own defence, where the accuser is at the same time the judge of the case and where there

"A common criminal has more rights than a Catholic theologian" he says. "How can the Church ask for human rights in the world when there are not the most elementary human rights in the Church?" is no right of appeal.

The Vatican ban has left deep resentments between Professor Kiing and the West German bishops who believe they have done everything humanly possible to avoid a break and seek some form of compromise, even at the cost of dragging the painful business out for 10 years: They maintain they have wrung considerable concessions from the Vatican on his

The professor is unvielding, but conthe protessor is unvelding, but concedes that he was helped by the Cardinal Julius Döpfner, former president of the episcopal conference, but maintains that his successor. Cardinal Josef Höffner, may bear more responsibility for the ban than Rome itself. "If he had said it would be a disgrace for the Church in Germany." think the Pope would not have done

it" he said.

The bishop's spokesman gives the impression that the real cause of the break is the obstinate, not to say arrogant

nature of the troublesome theologian.

In the cold light of a winter's afternoon in Tübingen these traits look more like uncompromising honesty. Swiss straightforwardness and a passinuate belief that he is right. Other Catholic scholars have suffered the same fate and the world has combined with an ability to put difficult ssues in simple terms and an inborn flair for public relations, are the stuff that good dissidents are made of

Patricia Clough

SECRETA

Why I remain a Catholic

After an unjust and unfair procedure on the part of the highest ecclesiastical authorities, I was deprived by decree of the title of "Catholic theologian": an attempt was made to drive me out of my faculty of Catholic theology after 20 years of teaching there and to thrust meout being over-scrupulous about methods—to the margin of my Carholic Church very shortly after I had completed 25 years as a priest and celebrated my jubilee. In face of harassment and threats, is it possible to offer declarations of loyalty or to make professions of faith?

Under these circumstances, why do I remain a Catholic? This is certainly not merely a personal question for myself Innumerable Catholics in the whole world must be wondering if the wheel of history is to be turned back in our Catholic Church to the time before Pope John and the council.

Are the new open-mindedness, readiness for dialogue, humaneness and Christian spirit again to yield to the triumphialism disavowed by the council? Are Roman authorities again to abolish the freedom of theology, to intimidate critical theologians and to be allowed to discipline them by the use of spiritual power? Are bishops to be merely recikill all their hostages if police' pients of orders and to be obliged to intervened.

"The episode has shown us fine ecumenical words and gestures, is the ecclesiastical institution with its unecumenical artitudes and deeds to become once more an unfriendly, inhospi-

Who is a Catholic theologian? In accordance with the original meaning of the word and with ancient tradition, any one can describe himself as a Catholic theologian if he is aware of being obliged in his theology to the "Catholic"—that is, to the "whole", the "universal, comprehensive, total"—Church. This has two dimensions: temporal and spatial.

Catholicity in time: A theologian is Catholic if he is aware of being united with the whole Church, that is, with the Church of all times. He will therefore not describe from the outset certain centuries as "unchristian" or "unevangelical". He is sure that in all the centuries there was a com-munity of believers who listened to the gospel of Jesus Christ and tried, so far as it is possible for human beings in their fragility and fallibility, to live according to his example. Protestant radicalism on the other hand (not to be confused with evangelical radicality) is always in danger of wanting unhistorically to begin at zero and so to pass from Jesus to Paul, from Paul to Augustine, and then in a great leap to pass over the middle ages to Luther and Calvin and from that point to leap across one's own "orthodox" tradition to the more recent Church Fathers or-

better—heads of schools. The Carholic theologian, in contrast, will always start out from the fact that there was never a time when the gospel was left without witness and he will try to learn from the Church of the past. While insisting on the necessity of critical scrutiny, he will never overlook the boundary posts and danger signals which the Church in former times, in its concern and struggle for the one true faith, often at times of great distress and danger, set up in the form of creeds and definitions to distinguish between good and bad interpretation of the enessage.

He will never neglect the positive and negative experiences of his fathers and brothers in theology. It is precisely in his critical scrutiny that the Catholic theo-logism is interested in the continuity which

is preserved through all disruptions.

Catholicity in space: A theologian is Catholic if he is aware of being united with the Church of all nations and contineuts. He will therefore not orient him-self only to the Church of his country or to a national Church and will not isolate himself from the Church as a whole.

Protestant particularism on the other hand (not to be confused with evangelical congregational attachment) will always be inclined to orient itself to the locally restricted Church, its faith and its life. and to be content with a theological (occa-sionally intellectually highly cultivated)

It is in this twofold sense then that I want to be and remain a Catholic theo-logian and to defend the truth of the Catholic faith in Catholic depth and breadth. And there is no doubt that a number of those who describe themselves as Protestant or Evangelical can be and are in fact Catholic in this sense-particularly in Tübingen. There ought to be joy at this even on the part of the institutional Church.

The criterion of what is Catholic Does this affirmation of what is Catholic in time and space, depth and breadth.

mean that we have to accept more or less table, unfruitful "fortress" (Cardinal Ottaviani's term) in this modern society of ours?

One thing must be made clear from the beginning. It is not any liking for theoretical problems which makes me raise this question, but the necessity of defence. For the doubts about my catholicity are not mine, they are raised by certain authorities and hierachs. I have continually spoken out for a

genuine pastoral primacy in the sense of spiritual responsibility, internal leadership and active concern for the welfare of the Church as a whole. It would of course be a primacy, not of dominion, but of unselfish service, exercised in responsilived in unpretentious brotherliness. It would be a primacy, not in the spirit of a Roman imperialism with religious trimmings, such as I came to know quite

closely under Pius XII during my seven years of study in Rome; but a primacy in the spirit of Jesus Christ, as it was illustrated for me in the figures of Gregory the Great and Pope John. These were papes who expected, not servile submissiveness, uncritical devotion, sentimental idolization but loyal collaboration, constructive criticism and constant

prayer on their behalf: collaborators of our joy, not masters of our faith, to adopt a saying of the apostle. But above all there was Tübingen: Protestant Tübingen with its Catholic

faculty. Here as professor I have increas-

everothing that has been officially taught,

Surely what is meant cannot be such a

totalitarian conception of truth. For, even

on the part of the institutional Church, it

is now scarcely disputed that momentous and even theologically "justified" errors

have occurred in the history of Catholic

teaching and practice and have been cor-

rected (mostly tacitly) up to a point even

This list is immense and includes the

excommunication of the Ecumenical

Patriarch of Constantinople and of the Greek Church, prohibition of a vernacular lingry, condemnation of Calileo and the

modern scientific world-picture, condem-nation of Chinese and Indian forms of

divine worship and names of God, the

maintenance of the medieval secular power of the Pope up to the First Varican Council, condemnation of human rights and particularly freedom of conscience and

Finally in the 20th century the numer

ous condemnations of modern historical-critical exegesis (with reference to the

authenticity of the books of the Bible,

source criticism, historicity and literary genres) and condemnations in the dogmatic field, especially in connection with "mod-ernism" (theory of evolution, understand-

ing of development of dogma) and in very recent times Pius XII's cleaning up

measures (likewise dogmanically justified) leading to the dismissal of the most out-

standing theologians of the preconciliar period, such as Chenu, Congar, de Lubac,

Teilhard de Chardin, who almost all

became council theologicans under Pope

Not everything that has been officially taught and practised in the Catholic

Church is truly Catholic. Is it not true

that Catholicity would harden into
"Catholicism" if that which has "become
the Catholic reality" (the words are those
of Joseph Ratzinger) is simply accepted
instead of being submitted to a criterion?
All this means that to be "Catholic"
does not imply—for the cake of a sup-

does not imply—for the sake of a supposed "fuliness", "integrity", "completeness", "uncurtailedness"—a false humility obediently accepting everything, puting up with everything. That would be a bad complexic oppositorum, a fattal product of contradictions a confusion of

pooling of contradictions, a confusion of

true and false.

Certainly, Protestantism has often been

reproached for accepting too little, for

making a one-sided selection from the

impossible to avoid reproaching Carholicism for accepting too much. Which is worse: a sin by defect or a sin by

In any case then Catholicity must be

critically understood: critically, according to the gospel. Reforms—in practice and teaching—must remain possible. For the

theologian this means nothing other than the fact that the Catholic theologian in

the genuine sense must be evangelically

oriented and conversely that the evangelical theologian in the genuine sense must be oriented in a Catholic way.

demarcations objectively and conceptually more complicated than they might seem to be in the light of official doctrinal documents which are often terribly simple

Admittedly, this makes the theological

ordered and observed in the course of

twenty centuries?

by the popes.

ingly become a part of this faculty, which from its foundation has had a great history, not only of success, but also of conflict. How many Catholic theologians in Tübingen, including some who are still alive and teaching, have been admonished, put on the Index, harassed and disciplined? There is nothing new under the

It was from this Catholic faculty of Tübingen, in the free air of-Tübingen, that both my books and those of my colleagues emerged and without which they would scarcely have been possible or at any rate only in another form. It was possible for a Catholic theology to emerge here, which—unlike the former controversial theology—has a truly ecumenical character and seeks to combine two things: loyalty to the Catholic heritage and openness to Christendom.

Discussion, particularly with Protestant colleagues, was of decisive importance, not in order to disparage the Catholic reality, still less to squander it, but in an ecumenical spirit to throw new light on it from the gospel and to gain a deeper under-

standing of it.
Why do I remain a Cailfolic? Not merely because of my Catholic origins, but also because of this life-task of mine which I grasped as a great opportunity and which as a Catholic theologian I can fulfil appro-

priately only in the context of the Tübingen faculty of Catholic theology. What then, properly speaking, is this Catholic reality for the sake of which I want to remain a Catholic theologian? and display little Catholic depth and breadth. Why then do I remain a Catholic?

Precisely because as such I can assert an

"evangelical Catholicity" concentrated and organized in the light of the gospel. Being Catholic, then, means being ecumenical in the fullest sense. But what of the Roman factor? "Roman Catholic" is a late and misleading neologism. Once again, I have nothing against Rome. I mean that, precisely ecause I want to be a Catholic theologian, I cannot tie my Catholic faith and Catholic theology simply to the ingrown Roman absolutist claims from the middle ages and

I have always acknowledged and defended a pastoral primacy of the Biskops of Rome linked to Peter and the great Roman tradition as an element in Catholic tradition that is supported by the gospel-But Roman legalism, centralism and triumphalism in teaching, morality and Church discipline, dominant especially from the 11th century onwards but prepared long before then, are supported neither by the ancient Catholic tradition nor—still less—by the gospel itself; they were also disavowed by the Second Vatican

later times.

Council. On the contrary, these things were mainly responsible for the schism with the East and with the Reformation. Churches.

Are there some of our cardinals and. bishops who do not want to see that in individual points of theory and practice their thinking is more Roman than their thinking is more Roman than Catholic? Perhaps my Protestant colleague. Walther won Löwenich, an authority on both Luther, and modern Catholicism, has rightly seen this in the infallibility debate, when he writes: "The essential question in the Küng case is not appropriately stated as 'Is Küng still a Catholic?' It should be 'Will Catholicism struggle out of its dogmatic construction into genuine Catholicity?"

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construction into genuine Catholicity?"

Catholicity then is gift and task, indicative and imperative, origin and future. It is within this tension that I want to continue the pursuit of theology and as de-cisively as hitherto to make the message of Jesus Christ intelligible to people of the present time, while being ready to learn and to be corrected whenever it is a question of discussion between equal partners in a fraternal spirit.

I must insist, against all the repeated

assertions to the contrary by the German bishops, that I have never refused such a bishops, that I have never refused such a discussion even in regard to the Roman authorities and that I have frequently had this kind of discussion both with the legislatives of the German Bishops' Conference and with the local bishop. But, for the sake of protecting human and Christiau rights and for the sake of the freedom of theological science, I have had to resist throughout all the years an interrogation of the Inquisition according all regation of the Inquisition according all rights to itself and practically none to the accused person. That much I owe to those also who have suffered—and, as it seems,—will suffer in the future. Catholic Church, Yes! Roman Inquisition, No!

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Arnoux's smile grows broader after first grand prix win

By John Blunsden
Rene Arnoux, the diminutive
French driver who seems to carry
a broad smile permanently on his
face, was grinning from ear to
ear vesterday evening, having won
his first grand prix at the wheel
of the turbocharged Renault RE20.
He completed the 198-mile Brazilian Grand Prix 21 seconds ahead
of the Essex Lotus 79B of Elio
de Angells, having spent much of
the race guarding the tail of his
team leader, Jean-Pierre Jahouille,
whose car succumbed after leading

team leader, Jean-Pierre Jabouille, whose car succumbed after leading for most of the first 25 laps of this 40-lap race.

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Apart from one lap, when Gilles Villeneuve nosed his Perrari into first place, a Renault was out in front all the way, suggesting that their disappointing showing in Argentina was temporary setback.

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Although Jabouille's Renault and Pironi's Ligier had been ahead of him on the staggered 24-car starting grid, Villeneuve quickly put his Ferrari at the head of the field during the first of the 40 laps of the groelling 4.96-mile Interlagos circuit.

However, the Ferrari lead was to be shortlived. Jabouille was back in front on the second lap, and Pironi followed him through into second place as the Ferrari hegan to slip down the leader board. Villeneuve's trouble was unsuitable tyres, and before the race had reached quarter-distance he and Scheckter had stopped at their pit for a replacement set of their pit for a replacement set of

Pironi, meanwhile, had lost his second place when he, too, had had to make a quick pit stop for a tyre change, allowing Laffite to lead the pursuit of Jabouille, with Armoux now backing up the leader from third place in the

leader from third place in the second Renault.

Reutemann's run of misfortune continued, and for the second time this year he was an early retirement, this time with transmission trouble on lap two; Andretti was another early caller that he has a potential. with his Lotus. His team partner, de Angelis was going well and had moved up into fourth place ahead of Jones's Argentine Grand Prix-winning Williams. Piquet went into sixth place with his

went into sixth place with his Brabham when the Ferraris were delayed at the pits.

But Piquet, too, was soon at his pit after blowing his left rear tyre. Shortly after resuming, Scheckter abandoned his Ferrari at the trackside, then Laffite spun off on lap 13 and Regazzoni finally abandoned his Ensign after three pit stops.

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Jabouille and Arnoux were separated by less than Z.3sec after 15 laps, but by balf-distance a full fisec separated the two Renaults, while Pironi, the next to call at his pit, was beginning a magnificent fightback into contention with the surviving Lioter.

While Prost mounted a late challenge on Patrese, to move his McLaren up into lifth place. Arnoux continued to extend his lead as the race ran its distance and emerged a convincing winner. On a more depressing note, the Shadow team have come away from the two South American grands prix with the unenviable record of having failed to qualify either of their cars for either of

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Tennis

Unpleasant epilogue to Connors victory

From Rex Bellamy Tennis Correspondent

Philadelphia, Jan 27
John McEnroc, the United States tennis champion, survived an unusually severe test of endurance in the semi-final round of the United States professional indoor championship here yesterday. He beat John Sadri, 7—6, 4—6, 6—1, 6—3, in three hours and six minutes and, after a 52-minute break, partnered Peter Fleming in a 6—7, 7—6, 7—6 will over Wotjek Fibak and Heinz Gunthardt in two hours and 37 minutes. Long pauses are built into the modern rules and players like McEnroe introduce a Philadelphia, Jan 27 players like McEnroe introduce a few of their own by arguing. But a total of five hours and 43 minutes on active service was nevertheless a formidable burden.

Connors was on court for only an hour and 27 minutes in beating Gene Mayer, 6—4, 6—0. 6—2. This match had an unpleasant epilogue. For more than a fortnight Connors has been worried, inhibited, and in some pain hecause of a groin ailment. Mayer accused him of exploiting the affliction. "Other people play down their injuries. Jimmy plays them up and uses them to the full extent. He won 6—2, 6—2 against Ramirez and then Fibak. I wish my groin hurt like that all the time. Jimmy doesn't want to lose to McEuroe and if he does, he's got an excuse. He's taken off the pressure—given himself an out."

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Connors took all this calmly. "I don't need excuses. I just go out and try to play. If he felt that way, he should have beaten me."

Connors was less lively than usual, dashing about only when the point was important. He concentrated on making every shot count. His entire game was carefully, smoothly aggressive and everything worked well. Mayer had nothing to hurt him with and was kept under too much pressure to have the space or the time for tactical finesse. Mayer hits two-handed on both flanks and the depth and pace of Connors's drives often exposed the deficiencies of Mayer's reach.

Sadri carried his tally of aces for the week to 74. But against McEnroe he also served 11 double-faults. It was always clear that McEnroe was the more versatile and that Sadri would be in trouble if and when his service faltered. It was a boring match, reminiscent of those unlamented days when fast playing conditions were more prevalent than they are now. Railles of even five shots were rare. But for two sets the dull spectacle was enlivened by nervous tension.



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McEnroe, who knew how dangerous Sadri could be, was repeatedly testy about one thing or another but, after making a fuss, tended to play the next point brilliantly. At 5—6 in the first service and a backhand volley. He lost the second set but then romped through five consecutive games and was never threatened again.

The best match of the day was the beautifully designed and consistently exciting doubles in which Fibak and Gunthardt, playing their first tournament as partners,

sistently exciting doubles in which Fibak and Gunthardt, playing their first tournament as partners, came within a point of beating the best pair in the world—not at their most effective this time because of McEnroe's preceding singles. In the second set the Europeans led 4-1 and 5-3 (Fibak served for the match at 5-4) and came within two points of the match in the tie-break. In the third set they had a match point against McEnroe's service.

4—0 lead in the first set. Palin broke service in the seventh game, but Sorensen immediately broke back to take the ser. Sorensen kept up his almost perfect performance in the next set.

In the next set.

Ireland's No 2, Tommy Burke, was easily beaten, 6—0, 6—2, by Main Timonen. In the deciding doubles a tired Sorensen and Dr Robin Giney, who seldom reached his top form, went down to Palin and Timonen, 6—2, 6—4.

Finland will complete the intergroup series at home to Relgium. The only jarring note was the bad behaviour of Fleming, who was fined about £114 (earlier in the tournament he had been fixed by Belgium next Sunday.

Rovers regain Casey for a record fee

By Keith Macklin

Money appears to be no object
to Hull Kingston Rovers who yesterda; beat their own Rugby
League record fee by spending
E38,000 on Len Casey, the back
row forward who was sold to
Bradford Northern by Bovers just
under two years ago. The £38,000
for Casey beat the £35,000 Rovers
expended on another back row
forward, Phil Hogan from Barrow.

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Rovers will be auxious to get Casey into their pack as soon as possible. Yesterday's last gasp 10—9 defear at the bands of Bradford Northern was yet another in a series of reverses which have seen them plunge down the first division table following their floodlit cup final defeat by neighbours. Hull.

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Yesterday's defeat was particularly heartbreaking. With only 12 minutes to go they led 9—3, a try by Lowe having been augmented with three goals from Hubbard. However Northern, even without Casey who sat out the game, staged one of their famous second half revivals and drew level with tries from Gant and Barends. Stephenson, who had earlier scored a try, dropped a late goal to win the match.

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SECOND DIVISION: Swinton eatherstone Rovers 17; Whiteho

French crow in triumph

By Keith Macklin

The French cockerel was crowing loudly after Saturday's intrinational at Widnes. French team officials were so delighted with their team's comprehensive 21—7 victor yover Wales that they addressed the audience at the reception afterwards with fluent oratory which would not have disgraced a debate in the national assembly. The fact that most of those present, including the Wish players, could not understand a word did not staunch the flow, but the enthusiasm of the French was understandable.

Despite the problems which By Keith Macklin

was understandable.

Despite the problems which have afflicted their domestic game, and on asturday robbed them of two key players, they outplayed a listless and largely disorganized. Welsh side, tackling with ruthless ferocity and attacking with verve and flair.

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The Wales experiment of introducing new blood did not comt
off. Players like Flowers, McJennett and Camilleri looked
exactly what they were, men
recently arrived in Rugby League
with a great deal to learn about
the 13-a-side code. In addition,
more experienced players of the
calibre of Shaw, Marhias, James,
Francis and Bevan were thrown
out of their stride by the determined French tacking and could
not pitce their game together.
Wales took a short-lived lead

when Diamond kicked a penalty goal but Gonzalez equalized with a penalty and theo France took the lead with a swift handling movement ending in a try for the loose forward, Roosebrouk.

This player, a Frenchman of Belgian stock, won the man of the match award for setting a tireless example in attack and defence. His backing up brought him a second try after half-time when France really got a grip on the game. Gresseque, a nippy scrum half, sold an outrageous dummy to get a try, and the final touchdown came from Gonzalez who sprinted 80 yards after an interception. Gonzalez kicked four goals and the caprain, Mazare, landed a late dropped goal.

Bevan gained a little consolation by scoring his 100th try in Rugby League foliowing a high kick by Box and a French fumble behind the line. Diamond kicked two goals.

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Rowing

Littlewoods back Kingston

By Jim Railton -

The Littlewoods Organization are to give \$8,000 to the Kingston Rowing Club for the purchase of a new custom built classic coxed four, cars, and an inflatable coaching launch together with an outboard motor to assist the Kingston four in their pursuit of Olympic selection.

The Kingston coxed four made a successful first appearance in last year's world championships finishing first in the petite finale and ranked seventh overall in the world chamolouships. This is quite an achievement for a basic club crew outside the national training team.

The new shell is designed from measurements taken from an East German deep hull shape and built by the British firm Carbocraft. The new shell christened "Littlewoods" and launched yesterday. International coxwains may be found in the stern bow or even in the case of a world championship crew last year, in the midships. Kingston have opted for a front loader" with their coxswain, Mark Warner lying prone wain, Mark Warner lying prone in the bows of the boat. Warner was taken to the boatbuilder to be measured up for his cockpit seat.

Last year the coxed four event—one of the eight international men's categories—was left open for clubs outside the national training team. It remains to be seen however whether this will be the case this year. There had been rumblings from within the national training team over the possibility of making a bid for coxed four selection.

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This might be detrimental to a national eight for the Olympic regatta remembering that last year's eight reached the world championships final but statisticians may possibly give a coxed four a better chance of reaching a medal class in Moscow. The selectors no doubt will wish

The selectors no doubt will wish for the issue to be resolved quickly. The international regatta season is short with the Olympic Games scheduled to take place in July. It will be a sad omen if at the end of the day two for ouality coxed fours were lett fighting for an Olympic place. The slower combination in coxed fours could well be either left high and dry or scrambling for a place in the hastily reformed eight which is hardly the best preparation for the supposedly preparation for the supposed flagship of the British fleet

Rackets

Boxing

Smart pays for his error

By Roy McKelvie Rackets Correspondent Christopher Braithwaite defends his title in the Army rackets championships which began at the championships which began at the Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst yesterday. His leading challenger is Mark Nicholls last year's runner up and there are several other useful players including Mark Evans, Alistair Drew and a couple of cadets, Giles de Lotbiniere and Hugo Akerman, who were recently Harrow's second pair.

There was one tortuous march resterday which one could rea yesterday which one could reasonably suggest hung on a single point. Hugh Phillips, a colonel in the Royal Tank Regiment eventually ran down his Guardsman opponent, Bryan Smart, by 1—15, 17—14, 15—5, 14—18, 15—11. The moment this context turned in his favour, came when Smart lost is First reand: F. Shorrock beat M. Nicole, 18—U, 15—2, 15—7; H. B. R. Phillips teat of B. Smart, 1—15, 17— Smart's serving carried him through the first game and was 15—1, 15—1.

mainly responsible for him maintaining a narrow lead in the second as the colonel began to get "the feel" of the court. Smart served for the game at 14—12 and, in the brief raily that followed, had the chance to win it. He could have chance to win it. He could have hit a winner down the backhand wall or played a drop shot. He chose the latter but played a very bad one. Phillips disposed of it

and made Smart pay dealy for his error of judgment.

This gave Phillips Increased confidence and his play in the railies improved. Smart's play became til in the fourth game he began again to hit it with venom. Though he recovered from 6—10 to 11—11 in the figal game his effort was unsustained and the more consist-ent, tenacious Phillips just deserved to win.

l Hockey

Middlesex almost caught

By Sydney Friskin RAF 3

Middlesex 4 An exciting match ended at Brize Norton yesterday with Middlesex scraping through to the semi-final round of the county championship, sponsored by Rank Xerox.

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All the thrills were packed into the last 17 minutes. The RAF, having pulled back two goals after being three down, made a bad slip in defence which gave Middlesex a gift goal. Middlesex, in the next 10 minutes, could have scored at least twice more, but in the end it was they who were

Ice skating

the end it was they who were desperate.

There was no doubt, however, that Middlesex, on the basis of their individual skills, deserved to win. Bhaura and McGinn were conspicuous up front, Wallace, Horst and Cattrall at the back.

Middlesex quickly jumped into a comfortable lead. Sick stopping and long corners proved profitable and led to the first goal by

Bhaura in the seventh minute, the second by Chana in the twelfth. Then in the twenty-first minute Middlesex were awarded a penalty stroke, which Wallace converted.

converted.

Duerden's calm authority in the middle eventually got the RAF forwards moving and just before half time Ashton picked up a centre from the right and scored Bales further reduced the arrears before McGinn scored a fourth for Middlesex. Leach then converted a penalty for the RAF.

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Captain inspires recovery By Joyce Whitehead

With the return of their captain Margaret Souyave North recovered from their slight setback of the previous week and beat West 3-0 at Cheltenham.

The result never looked in any doubt. Although Shoona Franks played well, as usual, at right-half for the West they never seemed able to close ranks. In the first half they made scoring for the North difficult but in the second half they were constantly under pressure.

The North forward line played as though the return of Miss Souyave had given them a tonic. They were fast and dashing and made the most of even unconsidered trifles. Lesley Ashton (Cheshire) scored in each half, the first of which was a particularly good goal. Miss Souyave scrambled in the third.

North could have doubled their score but were too hasty with

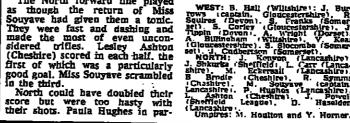
ticular had at least three good attempts in the second half but all went straight to the West goal-keeper. A characteristic of the match was the scarcity of corners and the lack of consistently good stickwork.

Seven of the 10 territorial matches have now been played.

North and South now head the

list with two wins and one loss each though East, with one win and one draw, are a match behind.

Tomorrow East play West at Homerton College, Cambridge, at 14.15.



Athletics

US woman's mile record

Auckland, Jan 27. — Mary Decker, a 21-year-old American, broke the women's world mile record here yesterday at the same meeting where the old record was unbeaten run on a New Zealand tour by winning the 800 metres in 1 min 49.4 sec. and the 10,000 metres was a tactical triumph for New Zealander Dick Quax who set a year ago.

Miss Deckers, running solo after completing the first la pin 62.5 sec, finished in 4 min 21.7 sec to clip four-tenths of a second off the record of Naralia Marassco, the 200 metres in 20.90 sec and of Romanion. Miss Decker covered the second and third laps in 65.5 sec and 68.5 sec and fnished with a 65.2 sec lap.

In a men's two miles the trivial.

ple world record-holder Henry Rono, of Kenya, managed only third place behind Mike McLeod, third place behind Mike McLeod, of Britain, and New Zealand's Rod Dixon. McLeold won narrowly in 8 min 25.6 sec.; Dixon was given the same time and Rono recorded 8 min 26.2 sec.

John Walker of New Zealand won the men's mile in an impressive 3 min 54.2 sec. Kenya's James Maina maintained his

outsprinted Kenyan Joel Cheriyot
Allan Wells and Beverley Goddard, both of Britain, completed
sprint doubles, Wells winning
the 100 metres in 10.63 sec. and 20.76 metres was two centimeters better than the mark he set at the Commonwealth Games in Christ-

church six years ago.

At an indoor meeting in Senftenberg, East Germany, Marlies Goehr-Oelsner set a world's best GORII-URISHER SET A WOFIG'S DEST PORTLAND: Indoor meeting: High Jump: J. Wzsola, 7 ft 4's in, 1000 vards: M. Bolt (Konya), 2 mm 09.5 sec. Trole Jump: R. Livers (US), 54 ft. 7 ln. 60 vards hurdies thwo faces: K. Smirnovaof (USSR), 7.9 sec: A. Prokofvey (USSR), 7.2 sec.

Eye injury casts shadow over Hope's career

The boxing future of Maurice Hope, light-middleweight champion of the world, will depend on the success of an eve operation carried out at Moorfields Hospital, London, yesterday. Hope, who was due to defend his world title against an American, Tony Chiaverini, at Wembley on March Chiaverim, at wemoley on March 4, was admitted to hospital yester-day after consulting a doctor be-cause he thought he had a cold in the eye. Further examination disclosed that he has a suspected hole in the retina and he was detained

This is a severe shock to Hope, one of Britain's most capable champions and one of six home boxers set for world championship contests in the space of 27 days in March, He showed no signs of discomfort at the Albert Hall on Tucsday, when he was a spectator, nor at the Boxing Writers' Club dinner on Wednesday, when he said he was looking forward to his world title defence.

Boxing followers in the United States will be treated to a bumper package on March 21 when four world champions defend their At Landover, Maryland, Sugar Ray Leonard makes his first

defence of the World Boxing Council (WBC) welterweight crown against Britain's Dave Green. Marvin Johnson puts his WBA light-heavyweight title at stake against a fellow American, Eddle Gregory, at Knoxville, Tennessee, John Tate's WBA heavyweight champion meets a fellow American, Mike Weaver, while at Las Vegas, Larry Holmes boxes American, Mike Weaver, while at Las Vegas, Larry Holmes boxes another American, Leroy Jones. That is assuming, or course, Holmes retains his title when he meets Lorenzo Zanon, of Italy, on February 3. That contest is also at Las Vegas and for going shead with it Zanon was stripped of his European ritle.

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The British heavyweight champion, John L. Gardner, and bantamweight title-holder John Owen have been called on to defend their Commonwealth Crowns by June 13. Canada's Trevor Berbick has been nominated as Gardner's challenger, and Paul Ferrari, of Australia, is named as number one contender to Owen.

Suspension lifted: Professional

Suspension litted: Professional boxing, suspended in New York State on December 13 following the death of the middleweight Willie Classen, resumed there last night with referees intervening in three bouts.



Hope: waiting for bandages to come off.

Miss Cottrill

opens gates of opportunity From John Hennessy Göteborg, Jan 27

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Deborah Cottrill rounded off a highly encouraging European figure skating championship for Britain here last night. The overall picture is one of a broad advance on three fronts and an exploratory baptism on the fourth. British hearts went out to Miss Cottrill, who here came back from the depths of despair to finish sixth best in Europe at the age of 17. In November she sadly saw her Olympic dream collapse, when she was beaten in the British championship at Richmond by Karena Richardson, from whom she had wrested the inte in 1975. Taus she lost her place in the Olympic team for Lake Placid next mouth. Here at Göteborg she so tindicated herself as to climb three places up the European ladder. Miss Richardson was twelfth, as last year.

Klammer's last chance disappears in the fog

Chamonix, Jan 27.—Franz klammer, winner of the downhill gold medal at the 1976 Innsoruck Winter Olympics, will not be defending his title at Lake Placid next month, Austrian ski officials confirmed today. Klammer, who dominated downhill racing in the mid-seventies, has failed to produce his old form this season and the selectors have gropped him to make room for Werner Griesmann.

Klammer's only chance to re-Klammer's only chance to redeem himself was to have been have yesterday in the last scheduled race before Lake Placid. But when bad visibility forced cancellation of the race, it also wiped out the lingering hopes of the man millions of Austrians still call "Kaster Franz".

Grismann, at 28, two years ofter than Klammer, currently staces seventh in the World Cup downhill table behind team colleagues Hard Weirather (joint third). Sepp Walcher (fifth) and Peter Winsberger (sixth).

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West Germany suffered a severe blow when Sepp Fersti fell heavily during his training run before the caxcellation and was knocked unconscious. Ferstl, his country's main medal hope for the Olympic downhill, was taken to hospital at Chamorix with concussion and a broken nose.

Ingemar Stenmark, of Sweden, recorded his forty-sixth World Cupvictory here today in the last slalom before the Winter Olympics. Steomark, favourite to win the slalom and giant slalom gold medals at Lake Placid, struck a telling psychological blow by holding off a second leg challenge from the Yugoslav, Eojad Krisaj. But Krisaj, skiing with a suspected broken hand, also produced a superb performance and made up 38 hundredths of a second on the second leg.

Mégève, Jan 26.—Hanni Wenzel of Liechtenstein raced to one of the most emphatic victories in World Cup history, winning the

OVERALL WORLD CUP STAND-NGS: 1 H. Wenzel 500 points: 2. A.-M. Moser (Austria) 250 points: 2. Nadig 185: 4 P. Pelon 177: 3. I. Epple 98: 6. E. Hess 96. NATIONS: CUP STANDINGS: 1. Austria 391 points: 2. Switzerland 119: 3. United States 375: 4. Liech-ignation 166: 5 Italy 440: 6. West Germany 404.—Reuter.

Ski jumping

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Latest European snow reports

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In the above snow reports, supplied by representatives of the Ski Club of Great Britain, L refers to lower slopes and U to upper slopes. The following report comes from another source: SGOTLAND: Calimonins: Mein runs
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Squash rackets

Leslie's search for title begins in style

beginning
Leslie's first test should come in Lesile's first test should come in the quarter finals of the competition, spousored by Sun Life, when he is due to meet Mohammed Awad (Egypt) who won despite a nasty blow in the eye with a racket while playing the Australian, Ricki Hill. With the top seed, Jehangir Khan, the 16-year old world champion, having withdrawn because of a back injury, last year's beaten finalist Atlas Khan, also from Pakistan, is the new favourite.

Jonathan Leslie started his earch for the British amateur

search for the British amateur squash title with an emphatic victory in 25 minutes over his first round opponent. Robert Robinson, from Middlesex at Wembley yesterday.

Leslie, the third seed, who will retire from senior competition at the end of this season, dropped nine points. It was a convincing beginning

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A tiny Scots lass shows

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"It seems hard, but Linsey thrives on it", Bryce said. "She still managed to grow 1½ inches in six mouths." Her record, which clipped three tembs of a second from the time set by the European indoor champion, Verona Elder, two years ago, was reward for Saturday morning's dedication when she put in a 45-minute pace-sharpening spell to master the Cosford track's steep bend.

The target for the girl voted

The target for the girl voted young athlete of the year, after setting up a string of British intermediate records last season, is a 400 metres place in Moscow.

Bryce said: "I don't see there is time for the European event. She has a hectic programme and

Men

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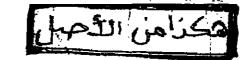
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Women



Linsey MacDonald: young athlete of year and of weekend.



Epics which, like wine, will improve with age

By Norman Fox
Football Correspondent
Long before television Long before television gave everyone the opportunity to form opinions based on something more than hearsay and an occasional first-hand sighting, dublous reputations were made and in some cases, remain. Arsenal, for one, still live with the prefix "lucky". In the same way classic matches of the past improve with the age of the beholder and were it not for the recorded message one wonders what future generations would hear of the season in which Liverpool and Nottingham Porest, champions at home and abroad, met in the series of colossal struggles.

champions at home and abroad, met in the series of colossal struggles.

There have been better matches than Saturday's at the City ground. The previous Tuesday's was one. Both sides have performed more attractively, but together they have forged some history that will probably improve with age even if fragments are on celluloid for all to judge. The fourth round on Saturday will be remembered in Harlow, Bury, Cambridge, Swindon and Blackburn as long as it will in Nortingham, perhaps longer. If Shilton will live with the memory of the day he dropped the ball at the feet of Dalglish to let Liverpool break the spell that seemed to have entranced them, Wasford will recall, in a similar cold sweat, the afternoon they let Harlow Town recover from 4-1 to 4-3 and almost equalize in the last seconds. Biackburn Rovers, modestly third division these days but six times Cup winners before 1930, took out Coventry City, who only a week before had beaten Liverpool in a first division match. And Bury, winners at the turn of the century, but now fighting against relegation to the fourth division, did the same to Burnley, much more recently a club of the top fight.



Dropped goal: Dalglish races in to make the most of a rare mistake by Shilton.

Cambridge United packed 12,000 people into their Abbey Stadium and there was a joyful noise when Aston Villa, who have held the trophy more often than anyone, were restricted to a 1-1 draw. In the end five first division clubs crashed and four more are involved in replays tomorrow and Wednesday. Arsenal, the holders, were among those who played more in accordance with status and it seems, in a more interesting way than of late.

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Farewell to Wigan, 3-0 losers to Everton, although at least they irritated Kidd enough to see him sent off: Halifax, beaten at Bolton after winning against Manchester City; Bristol City, who fought hard against Ipswich Town, dark horses for the final: Millwall, unusually meck at Chester: Orient, frantic against West Ham; and Reading, outplayed at Swansea. The winners know that Liverpool are even firmer favourites.

One of the Liverpool players One of the Liverpool players said that after last week's 1-0 defeat at Nottingham in the League

Cup he had never seen his colleagues in more determined mood. They knew that one gual in their favour would break the psychological impediment that had led to their winning only once in 10 meetings since Forest were promoted to the first division. It was ironic that Shilton, magnificent last Tuesday and here again acrohatic in saving otherwise certain goals, should mishandle a centre from Neal. Kennedy crossed the flight path, but Shilton had the hall in his hands before letting it slip for Daiglish to achieve something more than a goal.

The longer Liverpuol were delayed in scoring against Forest, the deeper their feeling that luck would not change, and the more likely they were to rush their attempts. Daiglish ended that concern and once ahead, Liverpool dominated the match in the way that they had before, although now with the confidence that came from a successful exorcism. Sn when Needham grabbed the ball as Daiglish was about to find a way past Shilton into an open

goal, it was a confident McDer-mott who thumped in the penalty as the goalkeeper dived the wrong

most who thumped in the penalty as the goalkeeper dived the wrong way.

The justice of the 2—0 result was gracefully accepted by Brian Clough, the Forest manager, who thought Liverpool controlled the first half, but were not so comprehensively in charge of the second. He brought in Burns to make his defence more "aggressive", The tactic was not a complete success for it was not aggression that was lacking but midfield inspiration. There was always an aggressive edge and hut for the strong refereeing of Mr White, who stamped on some latent individual ill will, the match could have deteriorated far enough to spoil the memory of another thunderous encounter.

NOTTINGMAM FOREST: P Shilton: V. Anderson, P. Cray J. McGovern, L. Lloyd toub K. R. H. Browyer, Brites, T. Francts, I. Robertson Liverpools: R. Chempeo, P. Jhonnson, R. Reinfedy, A. Hansen, K. Balgish, J. Chap. D. Johnson, T. McDermoll, G. Sounest.

Reieree: C. R. White (Harrow).

Spurs burn with passion but lack killing thrust

By Stuart Jones By the fireside, Swindon Town and Tottenham Hotspur curled up to a goalless draw in the FA Cup on Saturday. The flames, some 30 feet high and engulfing a hut, licked the air behind spectators in a corner of the City ground at the birth of the second half. It was then that the fourth round tie was set alight.

For 10 minutes, Spurs burned with a furious passion while the fire raged to the left of Allan's goal. As though with a heated knife, they cut their way through but Armstrong, Jones, Hoddle, Yorath and, most blatantly of all, Paul Miller, lacked the killing though the content of the content thrust. Otherwise the smoke would have been pouring from Swindon's

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Wayward marksmanship nothing new for Spurs. Nor is the enterprise of their creators. Hoddle was majestically nonenterprise of their creators. Hoddle was majestically non-chalant, overshadowing even the busy Ardiles. Yorath, as ever, added steel to their heart but Villa, troubled by a groin strain, was as much of a luxury as a dishwashing machine before he was

withdrawn

But Spurs have no Greaves now.

no one to take responsibility in the danger area, Attough there was little doubt about their superiority, there was also little doubt that they would not confirm it. Allan's most uncomfortable moment of the afternoon was

Football can be so unjust. Ask

Thomas, the Wolverhampton Wan-

derers' winger, who suffered un-

due misfortune in his side's 1-1 draw with Norwich City in the FA

Cup fourth round at Molineux on Saturday. Thomas was involved in moments of pure farce and high drama, each with a crucial bearing on the outcome of a wonderfully theatrical the whose second act will come at Norwich on Wednesday.

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The farce centred on the 38th minute incident which led to Norwich's goal. Till then, the East Anglians had been confined largely in their own half. Their four man midfield, the foundation on which their success this season has been built, had looked strangely out of sorts, Keelan, in his 40th year, had heat the adjunct with magnificent

sorts. Keelan, in his 40th year, had kept them alive with magnificent saves from Berry and Gray. Now they broke out en masse. Under pressure. Berry passed across his penalty area to an obviously disorientated Thomas who unhappily and unaccountably allowed the ball to run on Bond, the manager's son, had been lurking for such an offering. He took it gratefully, and lobbed expertly over Bradshaw. Dad was

Weekend results

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FA Cup, fourth round

A funny thing happened

on the way to a replay

caused by a delicate chip from Hoddle which be tipped over.

Swindon, on the other hand, have two strikers whose hunger is now famed. But here Mayes was blotted out by Perryman, shining like a glow worm in his orange-striped boots, and Rowland was given little room by Paul Miller. It was down the flanks that Swindon threatened, particularly through Ian Miller, who embarrassed Hughton for speed whenever he was given the opportunity.

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Unlike Wolverhampton Wanderers in midweek, Spurs allowed
Swindon time to show their undoubted qualities. McHale, again,
controlled the approach work and
Kamara exhibited the odd touch
of elegance. Yet after the fire had
been extinguished they too, faded of elegance. Yet after the fire had been extinguished, they, too, faded like dying embers as ideas and passes began to go astray.

On Wednesday might at White Hart Lane, Swindon will attempt to enhance their aiready impressive Cup reputation. Against four first division sides, they have won three and drawn three. At times, though, they were outclassed ou Saturday and their hopes are likely to end as did the hut—in a heap of cold, grey ashes.

SWINDON TOWN: J. Allan. R. Levis, K. Stroud, R. McHale, W. Tucker, R. Castrer G. Miller G. Kamara.

delighted, Norwich grinned collectively, but Wolves did not get the joke.

Third division

They were undone. Seemingly

Merrick's courage proves fatal for Bristol City

By Clive White
The FA Cup is brimming with
stories of courageous men who
played on with crippling injuries.
But most of those were in the days
before substitutes. Today there is before substitutes. Today there is seldom a need for such heroics. Consequently the decision of Geoff Merrick, the former Bristol City captain, to prolong his stay on the field on Saturday, after twice badly injuring his right arm, was foolhardy and in the end fatal for Bristol.

Wha five minutes left in this fourth round FA Cup tie, Burley, the Ipswich Town full back, played a calculated pass down the right for Brazil to chase, with Merrick also in pursuit of the ball. But the brawny Brazil shook off the feebl challenge of the handicapped Merrick and cut a fine

the feebl callenge of the hand-capped Merrick and cut a fine ball back to Thijssen. The Dutch-man closed in on Shaw, the goal-keeper, but failed miserably with his shot; Shaw, however, even more miserably, dropped it allow-ing Mariner to pop in the winner: 2—1. Two minutes later Merrick came off.

As Bobby Robson, the Ipswich manager, said later, after first re-fusing to comment on the delayed substitution: "We punished an injured player." Punish

clearly is not a word prominent in the Bristol City vocabulary, except in the self-inflicted sense. They had good reason (ie the 0-3

defeat by Ipswich the previous Saturday) and several opportuni-ties to punish the men from East Anglia, but they were never quite lucky or ruthless enough to succeed.
Had Bristol allowed more of the

mongrel in them to come out they would have won.

Bristol's goal in the 38th nunthe was a trifle scrappy but deserved. Mabbutt's short pass into the penalty area was redirected by Ipswich's Osman into Whitehead's area was from these less reserved. Ipswich's Osman into Whitehead's path and from there into the net. Six minutes later that goal was cancelled out with one of classic proportions that was vintage ipswich. Mills, Mariner and Muhren played a tight triangular passing game just inside the half-way line before Mills found Gates and then set off down the wing for the return which duly came. The full back crossed an early ball and

the return which duly came. The full back crossed an early ball and Wark met it horizontally and truly with his forehead.

Metrick and Gow, for Bristol, and Butcher, Mariner and Wark, for Ipswich, all found their way into the referee's book without committing any great villainy BRISTOL CITY: J. Shaw: T. Thingon, Childhead, G. J. Gow, D. Whilohead, G. J. Gow, D. H. Prichard, A. Frignathick, K. Mabbutt, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Garland, G. Garland, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Garland, G. Sweeney, C. Garland, G. Sweeney, G. G. Sweene

McBride helps Everton to a marriage of talents

By Gerald Sinstadt

Everton's FA. Cup prospects would be easier to determine if it were clear which is the real Everton. The club's presence among the last 16 has been achieved by luck and skill counterbalanced by carelessness and unruly temperament. In Saturday's 3—0 victory over Wigan Athletic there was enough ammunition to keep supporters and critics snipping at each other all the way to Wembley.

The luck is undeniable. To be drawn at home twice against fourth division opponents is 50 yards start in the Derby. To score seven goals without reply in the two games suggests a team equipped to ride its luck.

All three goals against Wigan were well-fashloned. Stanley's low cross was flicked on by Latchford for McBride to score the first. Latchford headed in the second from McBride's corner, cunningly sliced in under the crossbar. Kidd's was the most spectacular, a first-time shot lashed obliquely past Brown.

McBride was involved in them all. The son of a former Celtic and Scotland striker, he is an They were undone. Seemingly deflated by the unfairness of it all they allowed Norwich to grow in authority. Keelan caused goldenshirted shoulders to slump further with a stunning save to deny Richards. Such was the aura of invincibility that had begun to surround the Norwich goal that the equalizer came almost unexpectedly. Gray, for whom Wolves laid out about 51.2m more than it cost to assemble the entire Norwich side, had looked ridiculously over-priced, but now, put through by Richards, he at last eluded Powell and fired thunderously in.

Thomas's cup of woe overflowed soon afterwards. After Keelan and Gray jousted for a high cross, the ball dropped at the winger's feet and he lashed it home, joyously celebrating atonement of his earlier misdeed. But Mr Richardson ruled that Gray had erted. Thomas was brokenhearted.

Richardson ruled that Gray had erred. Thomas was brokeshearted. wolvernampton wanderess: P. Rradshaw: G. Paimer, D. Parkin, P. Daniel, E. Hughes, E. G. Berry, K. Hebbit, G. G. Berry, K. Hebbit, G. G. Berry, K. Hebbit, G. G. Berry, K. Hollows, J. Richards, N. R. Hollows, J. Ryan, R. Rown, T. Powell, P. Mendham, K. Pertes, J. Paskanu, 1985, G. Shepherd), G. Paddon, M. Peiers, Referee; D. Richardson (Blackhurn). all. The son of a former Celtic and Scotland striker, he is an orthodox left winger with pace, confidence and the ability to deliver varied crosses quickly. This was only his seventh appearance.

Fourth division

but already he has given Everton more balance and more options than were apparent earlier So much for the credit column. So much for the credit column. The debits begin with passing, a basic ball skill which several Everton players executed no better than they might have been expected to juggle with hot coals. Possession was squandered prodigally and a team with more sophistication than Wigan displayed would surely have capitalized.

An injury to Hinnigan, their left back, ended Wigan's best spell just before the hour. Before they could recover their rhythm, Everton scored twice and the issue was could recover their raythm, Ever-ton scored twice and the issue was settled. There was, though, still time for Everton to show their worst face.

A collision between Latchford

A collision between Latchford and Davids off the ball left the Everton player prostrate. Davids was spoken to by the referee but not cautioned. Almost at once, kidd made a remark for which he was shown the yellow card. Heedless of the warding, Kidd fouled Davids when play restarted and was sent off.

EVERTON: M. Hodge: J. Balley, J. Gidman, W. Wright, M. Lyons, G. Stanley, A. Harriford, P. Estice, G. Stanley, A. Harriford, P. Estice, G. Michall, J. Brown: D. Freiwell, J. Hinnigan, asb. A. Quinni, T. Gorce, C. Methyen, N. Davids, F. Corrigan, J. Wright, P. Houghton, D. Brownbill, G. Michael, P. N. Willis, Meadowfield.

Mackenzie keeps

Watford in suspense

By Vince Wright

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Harlow Town went out of the
FA Cup at Vicarage Road on
Saturday with their heads held
high, With 62 minutes gone and
Watford, of the second division,
4—1 ahead, Harlow's cause looked
lost. However, the plucky partrimers from the Isthmian League
rained their second wind, scored
twice through Mackenzie, and
played with such spirit and purpose in the closing stages that
Watford were relieved to win by
the odd goal in seven.

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Indeed, Harlow cane within a whisker of forcing, a replay at Highbury as a header by Twngg in the last minute flew inches over the crossbar. This fourth round lie, which had as many twists and turns as a country lane, was won and lost in the first 17 minutes of the second half. During that time workford, moving up a gear, scored all their four goals and Harlow suddenly found the game galloping out of their control.

Watford, who have more points

Watford, who have more points than goals this season, rediscovered their scoring rouch at the most opportune moment. Harlow's achilles heel was their lack of defensive assurance at set pieces. Three of Watford's goals came from dead-ball kicks and Rostron's inculation. inswinging corners gave Harlow a problem which they never solved.

On an uncommonly plea-ant January afternoon the sun shone on Harlow in the first half. Griffiths cleared off the line after a miskick by his captain, Gough, and Kitson made a good dip-over save from Poskett's fierce header. Harlow took the lead in the thick. Harlow took the lead in the thirty-ninth minute from their second corner. Watford's goalkeeper. Steele, was surprisingly adjudged to have carried the ball over his own goal line after catching a near-post header from Prosser.

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A Japse in concentration by Harlow, and Wafford's renewed determination, dramatically altered five course of events after half-time. The floodgates were opened by Poskett, who equalized from Rostron's headed pass. Within eight minutes Parching had twice taken advantage of confusion in Harlow's defence to make it 3—1, with a diving header and a close range shot. After 62 minutes it was 4—1, Bolton giving Kitson no hope with a searing free kick from the edge of the penalty area.

Harlow were dead but they

the edge of the penalty area.

Harlow were dead but they would not lie down. Mackenzie, his head swathed in bandages, pulled a goal back by converting Clarke's header and, given a remarkable amount of room by Watford's defence, fired his second emphatically wide of Steele, ensuring that Harlow would leave an indelible mark on this season's compention. season's competition.

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Wafford: E. Siede, M. Hartson, M. Palching, S. Sims, J.
Beilein, L. Alleseit, M. Poskeit, R.
Jenkins, R. Train, W. Rostron,
HARLOW TOWN: P. Klison; R.
Wickenden, C. Flack, A. Gough, V.
Jarke, P. Adnams, M. Mann, J. Macch. Le. N. Prosser, P. Twigs, O.
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Keegan's leg not broken, only severely bruised

Hamburg, Jan 27.—Kevin Keegan received the cheering news here today that he did not have a broken leg after being injured in yesterday's 2—2 draw with Borussia Mönchengladbach. The former Liverpool player underwent an X-ray examination today in the presence of his SV Hamburg club doctor and was given the all clear.

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His injury has been diagnosed as severe bruising of the right calf muscle. He has been ordered to rest until midweck, when the club manager. Gunter Netzer, hopes he will be fit enough to resume training for next Saturday's league clash with Bayern Munich.

Munich.

Keegan received the injury when he was kicked from behind on his leg in the last minute of the game in which he headed a goal to put Hamburg 2—0 in front. The draw was just enough to keep the champions on top of the table with a wafer-thin goal difference advantage over Bayern, who heat Schalke 3—1 to share 26pts with Hamburg from 19 games.

Tony Woodcock scored his first

from 19 games.

Tony Woodcock scored his first league goal in West Germany on Saturday, when Cologne beat Borussia Dortmund 4—1 at home. Woodcock, transferred from Nottingham Forest for £650,000 two months ago, rose above the defence to head in Cologne's second goal. second goal. Woodcock had an outstanding

game, bamboozling the Dortmund defence and setting up a hatful of chances for his fellow forwards.

Today's fixtures

ALLIANCE PREMIER LEAGUE: Non-SOUTHERN LEAGUE: Southern Divi-sion: Chelms(and v Ashford 17 30). FA TROPHY: First round (replay): Dover v Wolling 17 30).

ITALIAN: Bologna 1. Roma 1: Catanzaro 1. Ascoli 1. Lazio (j. Inter Milan 0. AC Milan 2. Cagliari (j. Napoli 0. Finrentina (j.: Pescara 0. Juvenius 2: Tortino 2. Avellino 2: Udinese 1. Perugia 2.

Edinese 1, Perugia 2.

FREMCH: Strasbourn 7. Lyon 1:
Sochaux 2 Nancy 1: Valenciennes 5.
Bastia 0: Leno 4. Marseille 1: Nantes
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Bordeaux 0: Nimes 2. Metz 1: St.
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St. Germain 2. Monaco 1: Himes 2:
Metz 1: St. Elicenne 5. Laval 1.

DETCEN. AZOZ 2. Den. Mars. 1:

DUTCN: AZe7 2. Den Haag 1: Haarten 5. Sparia 5: Utrocht 2. MVV 0: Fevenoord 0. PSV 3: Rota 2. NEC 0.

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ORREK: AFK 6. Rhedes 1: Ethnikos 2. Dosa 0: Aris 0. Panathinalkos 0: 12:4: 0. Panathinalkos 0: 12:4: 0. Pank 1. OFF 2. OFF MIRKOS 0: Yannina 2. Herakiis 1: Kestoria 4. Avedion 0: Korinihos 0. Panarrii 0. Lerissa 2. Panionos 0.

BELGIAN: Standard Liege 1. Legos 0: RWDV 4. Charkrol 0: Wincraka 1. Brugens 1: Cercle Rriges 2. Warrenen 1: Berhem 1. Vaipracht 1: Berrichot 0. Beringen 0. Lelege 1. Auswerp 0. Leriss 6. Erweren 2: Hassell 0. Anderfections 2.

SPARISM: "lalaga 5. Burros I Sevilla 1. Gilon O. Arlétto Madrid 2 Hertules Alicanie 1: Athlete Bilbrio 2 Falmanica O. Valencia 2. Real Madri-O: Roya Vallescano O. Betis Sovilla 1 Burto na 2. Zoraboza O: Almeria 1 Escanol Earcelona 1.

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PORTUGUISES: Foortimonense
Purco 4: Sporting 2: Belenenses
Benfica 9: Rio Aver 0: Espinho
Culmarose 1: Boavier 5: Espinho
Varcin 0: Espinho 1: Braen 1: Br
Wer 0: Muritimo 2: Servan 0:

OTHER MATCHES: Hajdut Split 5.
Marchester United 0 (at Split); West
Amethalia 0. Red Star Belgrade 5 (at

European leagues

Rugby Union

Orrell match holders of cup try for try

By Peter West Rugby Correspondent

If Leicester should retain the John Player Cup they are unlikely to find themselves embroiled in a harder same than the one Orrell gave them at Welford Road on Saturday. The Lancastrians scored try for try against the best club team in England and for a short period towards the end they needed one more try and a converneeded one more try and a conversion to square the scores, and so qualify for the second round. But a late tackie on Hare embled him to seal the issue with three more points and Leicester were home, worthily and no doubt thankfully, by two dropped goals, two penalty goals and a try (16 pts) to a penalty goal and a try (7).

Thus ended the refereeing career of Norman Sanson, a Scot whose skills and dignity, firmness and strength have enriched the first-class scene for 13 years—and on as many occasions at the highest level.

The match itself, fought out with total commitment in front of the

The match itself, longht out with total commitment in front of the large audience that Leicester attract on the big occasions, was a salurary advertisement for up football. Leicester's advantage owed most to the unfailing solidity

owed most to the unfailing solidity of their scrummage—in which Cowing gave his opposite number a thoroughly uncomfortable afternoon—their ability to slew the opposition on Orrell's put in and, above all, to their discipline and strength at ruck and maul.

Leicester's drive and cohesion in the loose were well illustrated in the first half-hour when they huilt a healthy lead of 10 points. First Wheeler, and then Redfern, a tight head prop maturing well, fished out possession from produc-

tive manls for Cusworth to drop a goal and Smith to plunge over

goal and Smith to plunge over for a try.

The second position was set up by Woodward, whose fiking for the outside break—certainly when moving from left to right—gives Leicester's midfield an old-fashioned cutting edge. Cusworth himself established another score, his second successful drop shot, with a high kick which Orrell allowed to fall into space on their right.

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Orrell, resilient and spirited, threatened to achieve something positive when running at their opponents, especially in broken play, but they found the Leicester defence as effectively organized at their own and all they had to those for strong pressure aither. as their own and all they had to show for strong pressure either side of the interval was a penalty kick by their full back, Prior.

Their hash looked settled when Hare, whose line kicking was impressively long, kicked a penalty. After several unavailing attempts to launch Carleton through the middle, a tap move enabled the captain, Phillips, to give Turner his head and Heaton made it to the line.

Hare finished the game with injuries to his thigh and back and needs treatment before clearing himself for England duty in Parls next Saturday. The draw for the second round takes place this morning.

morning.

LEICESTER: W. Hare: J. Dungan.
C. Woodward. P. Dodge. T. Barnwell:
L. Tuswerdt. S. Kenny: P. Cowling. P.
Whiteler: coatt. S. Rediern. N. ChilIngham. A. Hazlorige. S. Johnson, C.
Addy I. Smith.
ORRELL: G. Proof. J. Carhoon, P.
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R. Fisher, K. Fielcher, M. Drarman.
F. Hainbridge, M. Wobster, D. Balmer.
P. Turner.
Reierec: N. Sanson (London).

Matson are let off lightly

By Gordon Allan
Matson, of Gloucestershire, were
out-scrummaged, out-jumped, outrucked and out-run in the John
Player Cup at Richmond on Saturday. London Scottish won by a
goal, a penalty goal and four tries
(25 points) to three penalty goals
(nane), and if the Scots' usual
goal-kicker, Robin Wood, had not
been on the replacements bench,
Matson would no doubt have been
out-kicked as well. Wilson missed
two penalties and four conversions, so they got off lightly.
Scottish could afford to miss a
few kicks. The ball came out on
their side so often that tries were
bound to follow. No amount of
haggis could have prevented them, haggis could have prevented them, although Matson did their valiant best. Scottish shored or wheeled

the set scrummages more or less
as they pleased. McHarg had no
peer at the line-out. In the loose.
Scottish gave the impression of
having time to ponder every move.
Matson never looked like scoring a try, even when they were
in the Scottish 22.

Wilson, McHarg, Stewart, Hume and Gordon Wood scored tries for Scottish. Wilson kicked a penalty and a conversion. Barnes kicked three penalties out of six attempts for Matson,

The first half was interesting, because we were unsure what to expect, the second much less so. Mr Welsby spoke cautionary words to McHarg and Lanciano, otherwise it was a clean game. Matson must have mixed feelings about Richmond Athletic Ground. They came there last season in the cur came there last season in the cup and lost 22—3 to Richmond. As for Scottish, they are unlikely to be so gorged with possession in their next cup match. Matson, it may be, were the feast before the fast.

fast.

R. Gordon, J. Hume, A. Friell, G. Wood: R. Wilson, J. Montgomery: M. Lovett, I. Kirk, J. Fraser, A. McHarg, L. Forbes, M. Biggar, A. Stewart, C. McCuster, M. Biggar, A. Stewart, C. McCuster, M. Biggar, T. Sysum: R. Cornea, R. Light, T. Sysum: R. Cornea, W. Birchley: J. Hemming, P. Ham, J. Lanciano, P. Brain, C. Miller, P. Fullman, R. Hemming, M. Sruth.

Robertson's absence is fatal for Melrose

By Iain MacKenzie

One day, perhaps, the Scottish game will fall into line with the rest of the rugby world and allow replacements in club matches. So often games have been runned because one side has been obliged to make 14 for even on occasions 13) men do the work of 15. This is grossly unfair on the shorthanded side, which usually loses; on the winning side, which takes little pleasure in bearing weakened opposition; on the spectators, who have paid their money to see a contest which has at least some chance of being even.

There was an action replay of

there was an action replay of past nonsenses at Mansfield Park on Saturday. The game between Hawick and Melrose was 30 minutes old when Keith Robertson, the Melrose and Scotland back, left the field. He had suffered an unusual injury—torn ligaments at the base of the collar bone and without him Melrose went down by seven goals, a try and a penalty goal (49 points) to nil.

Robertson is happy at centre or stand-off for his club and until he left, Melrose had been playing with some confidence. Thereafter, the score tells its own unhappy tale. Mitchethill, a flanker, left the pack, and made up the shortiall among the backs but it was only a brave gesture in the face of a Hawick side beginning to believe in itself again.

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of a Hawick sine beginning to believe in itself again.

In the 10 minutes remaining hetore the Interval Hawick scored 18 points, and for the purposes of competition only the game remained; the match was over. That Hawick did not reach the half-century was the only consolation left to an otherwise disconsolate Melrose. Tries were accored by Corbett and Taylor (two each), Cranston, Deans, Hogarth and McGaugliey. Renwick kicked a penalty goal, and converted three tries; Easton converted three tries.

The game should have been played at Melrose, but frost dictated a switch to Mausfield. As a result, the clubs played for Border League points only. Another date must be found for the National League fixture at the Greenyard, Melrose are struggling to avoid relegation from the first division. What, I wonder, would their feelings have been had they worken this kind of thrashing in a

their feelings have been had they taken this kind of thrashing in a National League match, playing with 14 men?

with 14 men?

HAWICK: C. Easion: A. Taylor, J.

Renwick: A. Cransion, T. Williams: W.

Anderson, R. Corbett: A. Corbett: A.

Deans castainties. McGaugney, P.

Hogarh, I. Douglas.

MELROSE: J. Wheelans: R. Moffat, C.

Ruhnera, J. Cockburn, J. Fraier, K.

Robertson, J. Henderson, T. Monzies,

John Henderson, G. Ellioft, K. Dodsic,

K. McLeish (rapian); W. Mitchelhill,

C. Calder, S. Graham.

Referee: J. Dinsmore (Glasgow).

Gloucester through

By Peter Marson
Richmond 6 Gloucester 6
Gloucester drew with Richmond
at the Athletic Ground yesterday, scoring a dropped goal and a penalty goal to two penalty goals. By virtue of the fact that Gloucester were playing away from home in a drawn match it was they

By virtue of the fact that Gloucester were playing away from home in a drawn match it was they who go into the second round of the John Player Cup.

Gloucester might say that this pleasant result was no more than poetic justice. At the same stage last season Richmond took advantage of this technicality, coming away from Kingsholm with a three points all decision. Richmond seem to have brought swings and roundabouts into the John Player Cup, for two seasons ago they drew 9—9 here with Wasps.

Happily, there was no suggestion yesterday of there being any injustice in the result. Gloucester's only failure was their mability to translate their supremacy on the field into a comparable set of figures on the scoreboard.

With seven minutes to go Gloucester were trailing by 6—i. The overall picture would have been put in better perspective had Butler been in better form. Yel, on this fine, windless afternoon Butler, from varying distances and positions, failed with seven kicks ar goal out of eight attempts.

In the beginning Butler had erred in line and length. His fourth kick, from 35 metres, hit the near upright halfway up and with his sixth attempt from the 10 metre line the ball landed late and square on the crossbar before rebounding into play. Although Gloucester's faith in Butler remained unshakable they must have heaved a sigh of relief when at last he bisected the uprights with his next kick from 30 metres after. Richmond had been penalized at the maul. With these three points Gloucester clinched victory.

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victory.

At the start, Preston, for Richmond, had failed to find the length with his imitial shot for goal, from some 40 metres out. But, after a quarter of an hour, he gave Richmond the boost they needed with a penalty goal from short range after Gloucester had been penaltized for lowering at a scrumrange after Gloucester had been penalized for lowering at a scrummage. Soon, Preston was to succeed once more from short range, but before the break Russell narrowed the gap with an excellent dropped goal,
RICHMOND: M. Pyrons: A. B. Mort, N. J. Pyroso: A. B. Shortland, C. Sprinn, W. Dickinson, M. A. R. Hess capitain, C. W. Raiston, R. C. Pearson, C. Sharp, G. Greenwood.
GLOUCESTER: P. Butler: R. Clewer (copiain, R. Moon, D. Phinion, P. Turriall, R. Russoil, S. Mills, T. Milkins, P. Wood, A. Turriall, R. Russoil, J. Walkins, P. Wood, A. Turriall, R. Referee; P. E. Hughes (Lancashire).

monopoly on away rule for Thomas

A game of

By Tom Coopan

Coventry's young scrum half,
Stephen Thomas, scored all their
19 points (a try, a drop goal and
feur penalty goals) against Fylde
in their John Player Cup first
round match at Ansdell on Saturday. The home team scored only a
negality goal and were urreconsisable as the side which has a 100 per cent record in merit matches. The Coventry pack was heavier than Fylde's, in which only Beau-mont and Garnett matched their opponents for size. With weight advantage in the scrums, and reach in the fine-outs, Coventry had a monopoly of possession which Thomas, and his partner Davies, put to good use. Thomas gained in confidence as fortune smiled and, with his loose forwards Shipsides and Oliver, gave Weir, the
Fylde scrum half and captain, a
hard time.
Both Coventry halves generally
kicked for position to make best
use of the pack's supremacy. Given

more opportunity, the big three-quarters and Grant, the attacking full back, could no doubt have used their strength to advantage. Fylde's wounds were largely self-inflicted. Had they been more disciplined they would have more disciplined they would have conceded fewer penalties. In the first half their composure suggested they might resture their fortunes, but it disappeared as Coventry's score mounted. Passes were increasingly mistimed and misplaced. Altchison, a former Coventry player who has given Fylde strength at stand-off half, had a good game in the unfamiliar Fylde strength at stand-off half, had a good game in the unfamiliar full back nosition until he too was unsettled by Coventry pressure.

As always Beaumont was a commanding figure in the Fylde pack and the centre of attention by opponents and spectators alike. A temporarily injured arm brought his England captaincy quickly to mind, and it was a Coventry sunporter who called "take care Bill. We want you for next week".

Thomas's opening penalty goal was quickly matched by Aitchison. Thomas then dropped a goal to was quickly matched by Aitchison. Thomas then dropped a goal to bring his points total for the season to 100, and by half-time he had kicked another penalty. A third followed after the interval, then good passing took Coventry to the Fylde line, where Thomas kicked on from a scrum to score a try. Another penalty goal rounded off his busy day.

FYLDE: K. Alichison: S. Smith. D. Shorrock. S. Simmons. G. Wilding: W. Isherwood. M. Welt (rapian): D. Tabern. M. Dinon, J. Croaxdell. W. Beaumont, K. Garnell, A. Simpson. COVENTRY: R. Grant. D. Ralley. P. Kines, S. Rrein. L. Cammicil. C. Wilson, S. Rrein. L. Cammicil. C. Wilson, S. Rrein. L. Cammicil. C. C. Grobbins, S. Oliver. Referen. Commander R. M. Parker. Royal Navy.

Park stifle hope and initiative By David Hands

The fact that four of the five tries scored at Roehampton on Saturday came from wingers should not mislead anyone into thinking that Rosslyn Park's defeat of Exeter by four goals goal (seven) in the first round of the John Player Cup compet-tion was a particularly open game. tion was a particularly open game. From the first scrummage Exeter went recling backwards and never recovered their equilibrium. At the lineout they were reduced to barging and elbowing and were lucky not to be penalised more often. They had no one to match the Park's big men—Ripley Mantell, Ackford—no one with the mauling strength of Rodgers and even in the loose, with the outstanding exception of Day, they were too slow.

With a flood of possession.

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Park should have been much more than 12—0 up at half-time, a half played almost exclusively in Exeter territory. But rather than bring their three-quarters into play. Warfield used the high kick for his centres and back row to swarm on to. He did it well but a significant point was made the first time Park ran the ball, in first half injury-time; they scored a try.

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scored a try.

They at last felt so secure that Ripley was able to stand off the mauls and provide an extra man, which led directly to McKay's second try. They also, praise be, ran kickable penaities despite the loss of dignity when a rude Exeter buffet interrapted what was obviously going to be a very civilized tapped penalty move.

Mantell scored Park's fourth try from a tapped penalty involving three switched passes. In the first half Tiddy and McKay had scored tries. Bate converting all four.

Webb kicked Exeter's penalty early in the second half, the only nme they looked likely to get to grips with the task confronting them. Their main source of inspiration behind the scrummage was the reliable Staddon who took everything Park could throw at him and came up smiling. In the last seconds there was consolation for the visitors in the shape of a well-won ruck and an overlap try for their leading try-scorer. Williams, his fifteenth of the season.

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N. Anderson, J. Harmion, D. McKay: P. Warfield, D. Cillen, L. Barloy, P. Warfield, D. Chen, L. Barloy, P. Keilin-Roach, teaplain, P. Hillion, A. Rodgers, P. Accord, N. Mantell, A. Ridey, S. Jansey, B. Sardon: S. William, A. Ridey, S. Jansey, D. Treschir, P. Lody, J. Hollin, S. Web, C. Milliam, C. William, S. Lowyer, J. Harris, T. Woodrow, Capialin, C. Davies, S. Day, S. Webber treplacement, S. Lowyer, M. Calliery, Reference, G. Jones (Somerset),

First success for Nottingham

Pride of place in the John Player cup goes to Northenham who triumpied at Northampton, 3-0. Clive Pitts, a late replacement on the Northgham wing, was the hero when he landed a penalty 27 minutes after the interval. It was Nottingham's first win at Franklin's Gardens in 57 years and only their second success against Northampton in 46 pre-

against Northampton in 45 previous outings.

Wigton, a little Cumbrian club,
and Hardiepool came close to upsetting the odds. Wigton restricted Moscley to a 7—3 victory
and the Cumbrians missed three
reasonable penalty chances.
Hardepool held Gosforth, reice
winners of the cup, to 6—6, Steve
Gustard killed their hopes with a
last minute U7.

London have five sides through, but there has never been a winning team from the capital. The Midlands also have five survivors.

Rugby Union results John Player Cup: First round

Sedford 6
Sournemouth 6
Flyde 3
Harlegool Rvs 5
Leichster 16
Lichifeld 3
Liverpool 13
Liverpool 29
London Scitth 25
Northampton 0
Section Park 24
Weston-S-Mare 3
Wigton 3 Club matches

Cardiff
Royal Navy
New Erighton
Aborillery
Torquey Ath
Birkenhead Pt
Ncalb
Wigan
Lbow Vale
Omham City
Otter Durham City
Ousy
Narihern
Sheffield
Kolso
Nowpert
S Wales Pelice
Newbridge
Hawick
St Marr Hos
Pontroool
Wakaraid
Haddington
Gala

Wilmslow 4 Broughton Pk 27
Rughy 17 Nuncation 6
Swanses 22 Salio
CANCELLEO: Blaydon v Nuddersliedd Ponypridd v Plymouth Albion
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Replay: Wednesday, Jan 30, 7.30.
Watford 4 Hartow Town
Volverhampton 1 Norwich
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SPORT.

Something special for Australia Day An English

Cricket Correspondent Adelaide, Jan 27

By dismissing the two Chappells, Ian and Grez, with successive balls here this morning, Andy Roberts rook West Indies crucially nearer to winning their first Test series in Australia. At close of play this evening, after two days of this third and final Test match between the two sides, Australia are 127 runs behind with only one first innings wicket standing.

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Having bowled West Indies out for 328, there seemed no reason why Australia, on a blameless pitch, should not gain a lead. But once the Chappells were out (Greg's average against West Indies is in the eightles and over the years Ian has scored more runs against them than any other Australian) the fast bowling of Roberts, Holding, Garner and Croft was too strong. In five and a half hours West Indies bowled only 72 overs, but there was no let-up for the batsmen.

For most of the day there were

For most of the day there were four slips and a gully waiting to snap up anything that came their way. One of the chief reasons for West Indian successes this er has been the fitness of their four fast bowlers. By keep-ing going so well they have taken the pressure off each other, taken the pressure off cach other, it was Garner's turn to be the least successful of them roday, but that is not to say be played an insignificant part. In their last three innings Australia have faced only two overs of spin, both of them bowled by Richards this

Of the West Indian total, Richerds and Lloyd contributed 197. Richards was magnificent. After West Indies, having been put in, had lost Greenidge cheanly tin nine Test innings in Australia Greenidge has scored only 108 runs) Richards reached 50 in 50 balls and 76 in 100 minutes. Bats-manship like this is seldom seen ; on the first morning of a Test match it is now almost unheard of. To watch it was a great treat; to bowl against it was punishing. In three overs Pascoe was hit for 31 runs. In this sort of form, Richards has to guard against is thinking that every hall must be hit for four. Yesterday, in the first over after lunch, he was caught at the wicket of Lillee, aiming for the boundary. Lloyd, too, played superbly. I wrote recently that he is no longer the player he was. Well. in this innings he must have played as well as he ever has. His first hundred for West Indies. against England at Port of Spain against England at Port of Spain in 1968, is well remembered, but it was no better than his 121 yesterday. At 126 for four, after having been 115 for one. West

Better days cricket than yesterday's are few and far between. There was the batting of Richards

findies were on the point of col-lansing. But Lloyd and Rowe added 124 and the crisis was



It takes two to tango: Richards and Roberts dance to Ian Chappell's dismissal.

re-entrenched to their satisfaction, made 79 with delightful ease. There were some good catches by Marsh and Lillee; the weather was perfect and in the last over of the day Lillec, taking a new ball, sent everyone home happy by certing rid of Lloyd and

Roberts.
Yesterday's crowd was 26,569; today 22,329 were summoned by the bells of the cathedral behind the scoreboard. Though not to worship. Where else on a Sunday morning do the umpires come out of the bells are ringing down? as the bells are ringing down? Nowhere that I can think of, let alone where the Bishop of Liverpool, while on tour with an England team, has preached. This morning Lillee took one of

This morning Lillee took one of the two remaining wickers—he finished with five for 78—and Garner struck a blow or two, and by the time matins ended Australia were making what appeared to be the start of a comfortable reply. Wiener and Laird had scored 23 together when Wiener was caught at forward short leg. In the next over, bowled by Roberts, Ian Chappell was caught at second slip, feeling for a ball well up to him, and Greg Chappell was caught in the gully, off a short one that lifted, It was only the second time in his career that Greg has been out first ball in a Test match. It happened first at the Oval in 1975 when he was caught at the wicket when he was caught at the wicket

off Old. There was the batting of Richards off Old.

And Lloyd; 115 runs were scored in the two hours of the morning and then only 23 in the first 90 minutes after lunch as West ludies closed ranks; in 50 minutes after tea Lloyd and Rowe, having come in early today ", said Bobby

Simpson, when Laird and Wiener went out to bat. In the event Chappell had two balls from Roberts, the first a short one which he dealt with unconvincingly and the second to which he was out. Well though he still plays, he takes longer these days to get a sight of the ball. To see Greg Chappell picked up off the next ball settled a silence upon the crowd.

Crowd. Only Hughes, Laird and Border made much of a fight of it after this. For the fourth wicket Hughes and Laird added 57, Hughes play-ing some nice strokes without looking as though he relished the fast bowling. Laird, more assured against pace than he is against swing or spin, added an innings of 52 to the 92 and 75 he made against West Indies in Brisbane and his 67 against them in Mel-

In the second hour of the afternon Croft had Hughes caught at first slip, Laird in the gully and Marsh at the wicket, all off balls of full length. On recent form Marsh is overplaced at number seven. Since scoring 110 not out in the second innings of the centered in 1927 he had tenary Test mach in 1977 be has reached double figures only five times in 17 Test innings. If anything was encouraging for Austra-lia today it was that their runs came mostly from three of their younger batsmen.

When Marsh was sixth out before tea the chances were that West Indies would be batting again this evening. But Lillee lasted for an hour, in spite of being hit on his bowling hand by Holding. Bor-der was still there at the end,

New South Wales

From Jack lingleton Canberra, Jan 27

Manuka Oval was a pleasant rustic change for the Englishmen today from Australia's torrid cities of cricket noise and raucous advertisements. It was here that Prime Minister Sir Robert Menzies held his marches which will soon be resurrected by Malcolm Fraser Manuka is a New Zealand name Mannka is a New Zealand name for a tree but this ground is much more English flavoured with tall trees of varied greenery and dark prunus surrounding it. It is a huge ground which receives copious watering from the civic authorities and it was not surprising that only nine fours were hit in the New South Wales innings. Doug Walters, who was in brilliant form. hit his sole boundary the ball before he was bowled by Lever.

Many strokes that deserved

Many strokes that deserved boundaries were overhauled. Possibly never in his career has Welters hit only one boundary in an innings of 62. Toohey and Beard also batted nicely for New South Wales, who made a bad start against Stevenson, who has had only nine days of cricket deserved. had only nine days of cricket since arriving to replace Hendrick. Stevenson at one stage had three wickets in nine balls costing two Trevor Chappell began a poor

Trevor Chappell began a poor family day going for six. In Adelaide lan made two, Greg got a duck, so eight runs for three outs was poor commons for any family. New South Wales began by sending the sparring Bowcott back for two and had Larkins, probing for mil. vived for 40 minutes before fall-ing to the first of two carches by Rowe at fourth slip, the second of which was a beauty. Tomor-row, when they celebrate Austra-lia Day, something better will be expected of the national side. to three for 25 when Gower, who must learn to graft, swished wildly and impetuously at Done-and hir the ball high overhead for

the wicketkeeper to snaffle him NEW SOUTH WALES: First famings NEW SOUTH WALES: First many
J. Divson b Stevenson
A. M. Hinditch. c Underwood, b
Stevenson
T. M. Chappell. c Taylor, b
Stevenson
C. Davis, c Gooch, b Stevenson
P. M. Toohey, c Taylor, b
Underwood
K. D. Walters, b Lever
C. A. Beard, c sub, b Emburey
15. M. Rixon, not out
Extras: (b 1, 1-b 1, w 1)

Total (7 wkts dec) ... Fail OF WICKETS: 1—10, 2—28, —36, 4—37, 5—99, 6—154, 7— 183, R. Done and R. Holkand did not bet. BOWLING: Lever. 18—4— Stryerson: 15—2—44—4: Goo C—15—0: Underwood. 23—4— Emburey, 20—0—39—1.

ENGLAND XI: First innings

A. Gooch, b Beard
Boycott, c Rivon, b Lewson
Larkins, c Hiddich, b Lewson
J. Gower, c Rixon, b Done
J. M. Brearley, not our
Extras: 1b 2, n-b 5; Total (4 wkts)

FALL OF WICKETS: 1—7. 2—10, 3—26 4—13. D. Randall J. Emburev, R. Tavior. G. Steverson, D. Underwood and J. Lever to bet.

Watson makes meal of harder course

From Peter Ryde San Diego, Jan 27

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It did not take Tom Watson long to dominate the Andy Williams San Diego Open here yesterday and by the end of the third round he led the field by two strokes. Oosterhuis failed by one stroke to make the cutt and with one round to go there had been three holes in one. As many as fire holes in one have been known in a single American tournament, but it is rare for them to have been made at such long holes—with a one-iron, two-iron and three-iron—as they were here on the first two days.

The weather became overcast

The weather became overcast with a fall in temperature and a wind made the South Course play long in spite of the distance they hit the ball these days. In such conditions the 71 by Oosterhuis over that course in the second round was creditable, but he had left himself too much to do after his first round. his first round.

his first round.

He was working on the assumption that 145 would be the qualifying figure and he was right. He paved the way for the 70 he needed with birdies at the fourteenth and fifteenth, but he dropped a vital short at the sixteenth, missing the green on the wrong side with a long iron. His game was a vast improvement on his first round and his poor start should be seen in relation to a long season ahead, but after his slump last year a further delay in his recovery will only aggraslump last year a further delay in his recovery will only aggravate the pressures.

Watson moved into the lead through his playing of the harder course. He was one of the few to have broken 70 both times over it, or indeed even once. Stadler had a 66 on it, the lowest to far but this owed something.

so far, but this owed something to his knowledge of the greens for he was brought up in La Jolla a few miles away. Stadler was one stroke ahead of Watson at the halfway stage and therefore drawn with him in the third round, but the com-parison between the two was not flattering to him. He has strength rather than power, berly built like a lumberjack, and he has, like many powerful men, a sensitive touch with the putter.

But when it came to the longer fairway shots of which there were several, there was only one man in it. Stadler controlled himself penhaps better than he would have done a year ago before his first victory, but he could not conceal his bitterness as the strokes slipped away.

others took up the challenge, floyd and, in particular, Hinkle, whom Watson appeared to consider a real threat to his lead. If we gave Floyd an eight foot putt at one hole which be missed, he would have birdled the last six holes of his second round. He has played abroad a good deal since holes of his second round. He has played abroad a good deal since last autumn, including victory to the Brazilian Open, but he says that returning to the tour is like going back to school. The greens downwind were hard to stop the ball on, and his long distance putting, one of his strong points, was valuable.

Hinkle, who is 30 and was third last year in the order of merit, was expected to draw the crowds who once again looked nothing was expected to draw the crowds who once again looked nothing like as large as the number claimed by the organizers, because he was at San Diego State University and was brought up nearby. It is significant that the two lowest scores on the South course, his and Stadler's have come from those familiar with the greens.

Third round scores: Third round scores:
205: 7. Watson 68. 59 68.
207: R. Floyd. 70. 67, 70; L. Hinkle.
73. 67, 87;
70. 69, 69
209: R. Wadkins. 57, 73. 69: B.
Gardner. 71, 69, 69: K. Fergus.

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Badminton-

England monopolize titles

Paula Kilvington and Mike Scots, Billy Gifkland and Joanna Tredgett both won two tides, as Flockhart, the holders, in the England monopolized all five mixed doubles, thus depriving events in the Scottish Open badredia Nivington and Mike Tredgett both won two tides, as England monopolized all five events in the Scottish Open badminton championships, sponsored by Famous Grouse whisky at Meadowbank sports centre, Edinburgh vector of the second of the

burgh, vesterday. Miss Kilvington overcame some spirited resistance from the Scots No 2. Pamela Hamilton, to win the 275 first prize in the singles 12—9, 11—8 and went on to partner the injured Karen Bridge to victory in the women's doubles. Miss Bridge had withdrawn from the quarter-final round of the singles on Saturday with a pulled calf muscei, and could not

MEM'S SINGLES: Semi-final round:
S. Baddeley beat K. Jolly, 15—10.
15—11: P. Whemail beat R. Stevens,
15—15: ,15—10. Final: Whethail beat
Baddeley, 10—6, 15—5.
WOMFR'S SINGLES: Semi-final
round: P. Hamilton beat A. Bryston,
5—11: ,12—2, 11—1. P. Klivington
beat J. Flockham, 1: —2, 11—3.
Final Klivington beat Hamilton, 12—9,
11—8.

MEM'S DOUBLES: Semi-final round:
Jolly and D. Taibot best D. Travers
and W. Gillishand, 9-15, 18-11,
13-12: Stevens and M. Tredget beat
G. Scotl and P. Builtwant, 15-7,
15-4. Final: Stevens and Trodget beat
Jolly and Taibot, 15-4. the singles on Saturday with a pulled calf muscel, and could not move freely. However, she and Miss Kilvington still beat Karen Chapman and Kathy Redhead in straight games.

Mrs Chapman played much better in partnering Tredgett to a surprisingly easy victory over the

Bowls

Bryant still unbeaten in singles event

of the world bowls championships at Frankston here. Bryant, winner of four Commonwealth Games singles gold medals, beat Stan Espie of Ireland 21—11 in a morn-ing matches which went to 23 ends and later defeated Eddie Turner and later defeated Eddie Turner of Malawi 21—8 in 16 ends.
Tomorrow Bryant meets New Zealand's Nick Unkovitch, who has dropped only one match, to Meredith of Kenya. Unkovitch Singles Third beat Korluchi of Japan 21—7 and Cooper of Israel 21—1 in less than two hours on the feet walls.

green.
Scotland met their first defeat in the fours, going down 25-14 to Fiji, and now share first place in the event with the United

The Scottish quartet of Summers, Wood, McQueen and Mc-Intosh beat Swaziland 41-9 in the morning but agains; Fiji they lost a six on the second-last end and their opponents Thaggard, Perry, Fong and Patton emerged trium-phant.

Two wins in both singles and

FOURS TWO wins in both singles and fours kept New Zealand at the top of the overall points table for the W. M. Leonard trophy.

FOURS THIRD ROUND: Papua-New Guines THIRD ROUND: Papua-New

Melbourne, Jan 27.—England's
David Bryant scored two victories
today to remain unbeaten after
seven matches in the singles event
of the world bowls championships
at Frankston here. Bryant, winner
of four Commonwealth Games

With 74 points, they lead from
England, 73; Scotland, 69;
Australia. 60 and Wales, 59.
Australia's four of Sandercock,
Taylor, Rheuben and Poole, suited
by the fast greens today, came
back after earlier setbacks to back after earner achieve two victories.

With Rheuben and Sandercock showing the form which won them the pairs title last week, the according defeated Zambia Australians defeated Zambia 36-25 and Kenya 29-8. They have now won three matches,

Singles
Third ROUND: Hongkong 21, West
Samus 8: England 21, Scotland 15:
Jersey 31: Israel 15: Irreland 21: Kenya
6: Swaziland 21. Papus-New Guinea
1n: Wales 21. Canada 11: Malawi
21. Japan 13: US 21. Fijh 19: New
Zeeland 21. Australia 14: Zambia 21.
Guernsey 12.

ealand 21. Australia 14; Zambia 21.
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26. Kenya 12.
Sixth Series
SinGLES: New Zealand 21. Japan
7: Malawi 21. Western Samos 18;
Guernsoy 21. Fill 16: Kenya 21. Israel
18: Jersey 21. Canada 16: England
21. Irland 11: Australla 21. Zambla
13: Scotland 21. Swarlland 9: Hongkong 21. US 19: Wales 21. Papua
New Guines 9.
FOURS: England 22. Ireland 14;
Wales 21. Papua New Guinea 17; Australla 36. Zambla 25. Malawi 22. Westralla 36. Zambla 25. Malawi 22. Westralla 36. Zambla 25. Malawi 22. Westralla 36. Zambla 25. Malawi 22. Sazel 16;
US 22. Hongkong 21: New Zealand
39. Japan 9: Canada 18. Jersey 18:
Gurrnuey 18. Fill 15; Scotland 41.
Swazlland 9.
Seventh Series Seventh series

Fig. 19; Wates 20. Calaboa 18; Malawi 55. Japan 6. FOURTH ROUND; Zambia 24, Japan 9. Israel 27, Swaziland 11; Guernsey 21, New Zealand 19; Jersey 25, Kenya 14; Australia 25, Hongkong 16; England 21, Papua-New Gumaa 18; Scotland 24, Wates 18; Fiji 33, Malawi 15;

Canada 17.

FOURS: Jersey 35. Japan 7: Canada 51. Gusensey 15: England 28. Malawi 9: Australia 29. Kenya 8: US 24. Swartland 13: New Zealand 28. Jares 1 Western Samoa 14: Papula New Guince 18. Hongkong 16: Fiji 25, Scotland 14.—Reuter.

By Michael Phillips

Racing

having batted for three and a quarter hours, and Dymock sur-vived for 40 minutes before fall-

WEST INDIES: First Innings Greenidge, I-b-w. b Lillee Haynes, c Liller, b Mallett A. Richards, c Marsh, b

I. Kallicharran, c I. Chappell, Mallelt

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AUSTRALIA: First Innings

wiener, c Haynes, b Hoiding Laird, c Garner, b Croit M. Crappell, c Garner, b

G. S. Chappeu, & Oanner, Roberts
J. Hughes, c Lloyd, b Croft
R. Boroer, not out
R. Marsh, c Murray, b Croft
K Lilloe, c Haynos, b Holding
Dymock, c Rowe, b Croft
Mallett, c Rowe, b Garner
Pascoe, not out
Extras (b 1, 1-b 12, p-b 7)

FAUL OF WICKETS: 25—1, 25—2, 26—2, 26—3, 85—4, 110—5, 127—6, 165—7, 188—8, 189—9, 80WLNG its date; Roberts, 16—3—42—2; Holding, 15—5—5, 21—2; Garper, 18—4—45—1; Richards, 2—0—7—0; Croft, 21—3—5—5—5—4

S. Chappell, e Garner, b

Maileit Rowe, c Liffee, b Dymock H. Lloyd, I-b-w, b Liffee L. Murray, c March.

D. L. Milray, C. Marse. Demock M. E. Roberis, b Lillee Garner, c Hughes, b Lillee A. Holding, b Poscoe Croft, not out Extras (b 2, n-b 7)

chase will add considerably to that total.

Turnell's decision to loose-off Birds Nest in the Oteley Hurdle is especially welcome because it will rell us a thing or two about last year's Triumph Hurdle winner, Poliardstown, who is reckoned by some to be the likely winner of this year's Champion Hurdle. Pollardstown will have to carry the same weight as. Birds Nest who has already won the Fighting Fifth Hurdle and the William Hill Christmas Hurdle this season.

The Scilly Isles Novices Steeplechase will be Beacon Light's sixth steeplechase and very possibly his

Turnell makes ready for a Sandown salvo Racing Correspondent

Bob Turnell intends firing both his big guns at Sandown Park next Swashbuckling, who has the size Saturday. Between them Birds and scope to jump fences one day National favourite, Zongalero, ran Nest and Beacon Light have and was probably well bought by over a distance that was well short already won more than £28,000 in prize money this season—a figure split almost down the middle—and their trainer is hoping that victories in the Oteley Hurdle and the Scilly Isles Novices' Steeple-chase will add considerably to that total.

Turnell's decision to loose-off Birds Nest in the Oteley Hurdle Brewers Hurdle on the disqualification of Night Nurse's half-brother, Pulse Rate, and Drusus duly won the Burghwalkis Novices Steeplechase. Steeplechase.
Rimell's was not the only stable

Rimell's was not the only stable to send out three winners, though. Fulke Walwyn saddled Dramatist to win the Tote Jackpot Steeple-chase at Cheltenbam and heard there that Cranbourne Tower and Gay George, his two runners at Windsor, had mopped-up the two divisions of the Rays Novices Hurdle on what was their first appearance under National Hunt Rules.

Dramatist certainly imposed

steeplechase and very possibly his science that the state of the state

of dis best.

No wonder his rider, Stephen Smith Eccles was grinning broadly when he dismounted. "Tremendous" was how he described the feel that Zongalero had just given him. A smilar race at Newbury at the beginning of March will be all that Zongalero will have before he goes to Aintree to try to better his performance of last year

Talking of the National, Ladbrokes reported yesterday that they had just laid the largest single ante-post bet in their history. Apparently one intrepid punter has staked £10,000 (£5,000 each way) on Artistic Prince in

punter has staken 110,000 (25,000 each way) on Artistic Prince in the National: If that nine-year old were to succeed on March 29 his backer would collect a quarter of a million pounds.

I still prefer Zongalero at this state Armaneulla you would not

Were this encounter to take place it would enlighten us about the horse who is currently third favourite for the Cheltenham cup. Silver Buck, who is the favourite for that race, after his victory at Kempton on Boxing Day, is now earmarked for the Compton Steeplechase which is run at Newhury on the same day as the Schweppes Gold Trophy. Silver Buck will be accompanied on the long journey from Yorkshire by his stable companion. I'm a Driver, who turned the Mansion House Steeplechase into a procession at Doncaster on Saturday. The Game Spirit Steeplechase is I'm a Driver's objective at Newbury.

As for the Schweppes, Silver Shadow was all the rage on Saturday after she had run away with the Yorkshire Handicap Hurdle. She left many wondering whether

She left many wondering whether her trainer. Peter Easterby, who also trains the well-fancied Vascar, could end up saddling the first two home in the Newbury race again this year, for the second time in succession. succession.

STATE OF GOING (official): Stock-ton, abendoned—frost: Nottingham, good (laspection 7.30 cm), Tomorrow: Chepstow, soft.

For the record

Yachting AUCKLAND: World Tornado Championships: 1 W Falal (West Cermany): 2 L Hope (NZ): 5 Robert White (GB): 4 J. Spengier (West Germany): 5 T. Neuhamm (West Germany): 5 Red Mitte (GB): 4 J. Spengier (West Germany): 5 Red White (GB): 6 R. Lev'ls (Australia): 15 Red White (GB): 6 Red (West Germany): 5 Willy Kulwwede (West Germany): 5 Willy Kulwwede (West Germany): 5 GB Bard (US): 8 Hishs placings: 17, P. Crebbin: 25 A K. Warren. Devter (Challadar): 3 Maines, 3 B. Melges (US).

PORTEMOUTH: Royal Navy Chambionship: Semi-final round: Li-Cdr R. Bawtires FlexefforSm) beat Cdr B. Ton (MOD. Bath): 9-6. 9-1. 9-5. CDP G. Hugdins (HMA Deedains) beat Still Prattey (HMA Deedains) part of the Company of the Company

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Sed. 1000mlles M. McLeod (GB).
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R. Cusz (NZ) 28.28.4: Shot. C.
Capes (GB). 30.6m (NX all-comers
record) (mm with Mile M. Becker (US).
4.21.7 (world record)
Lincoln, Nobrasks: Women:
500vds: M. Ottey (Jamaica).

Cross country

Real tennis LORD'S: MCC beat Old Wykeha-mitts 4—1.

Basketball

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION: Atlanta Hawks 109. Chicago Bulls 104: Indiana Papera 115. Cleveland Cavaliers 114: Houston Pockets 123. Scattle Supersonics 111: Kansas Cilv Kings 112. Utah 122: 107: Denver Nuggets 100. Portland Trail Blazers Bobsleigh

Tennis

Lacrosse NORTH OF ENGLAND SENIOR FLAGS: Second round: Old Hulmelan10. Timperier 5: South Manchester and
wythenshawe 15. Meilor 5: Stockhort
14. Sheffield University 15: Urnston 6.
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16. Sheffield University 15: Urnston 6.
NORTH OF ENGLAND LEAGUE:
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Third division: Barnot 8. Puriley A 3.
Third division: Backhurst Hill B 20.
Hillroft A 6.
WOMEN'S MATCHES: London University 10. West London 5: Putney 14.
Religate, 4.

Ice hockey

Scottish Cup draw

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Atlanta Flames

J. Dogroit Rad Wings 3: New York
Islanders 5: Hartford Winglers 2:
Buston Bruins 6: Pilisburgh Penguins

J. Buffalo Sabres 7: Mondreat
Canadions 2: Quebec Nordiques 1:
Vashington Coprizes 1: Los Angeles
Kings 4: Minnesola North Gens 4:
Edmonto Ollors 8: Toronac Maple
Leafs 3: Cotorado Rockies 4: St Louis
Blues 4:

Cricket

UNIVERSITY MATCHES: Cambridge 42. Worslesdon 134: Cambridge Outlaws 2. Sunningdale 2-4.

Speed skating Deed skating

DAVOS: Mon; Sprints: 500 metres:
1. de Boer (Netherlands), 38.47scc.
1.000 metres: Bocher (Canada),
1.17.22. Four-event contect: 500
metres: Heiden (US. 7min 07.08scc.
Standings (after two events): 1.
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500 metres: H. Valantin (Netherlands)
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(Garada): 1.500 metres: C. E. Re (Canada): 2.11.63. Standings (after two events): 1.
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(Sweden): Amin 15.71sec. Overall
(after two events): 1. Gastavson,
Scholer (USSR): 4.000 metres: N.
Kurota (USSR): 4.000 metres: N.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP: Quarterfinal round: Yorkshire 3. Devon 4
ictor extra time Yorkshire wos on
ponsity strokes; RAF 3. Middloser 4.
LONDON LEAGUE: Bleckheath, 1.
Slough 6: Broatley 1. Wimbledon 0.
Cambridge University 1. Tulse Hill 1.
Hawks 1. Spencer 4. London University
0. Hounstow 4: Mid-Surrey 0. Richmond 1: Oxford 'University 2. Beckonham 5. Purley 5. Guildford 0. Stouthgate
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WOMEN: TERRITORIAL MATCH;
West 0. North 5.
SOUTH COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS;
Bucks 1. Hants 6.
OTNER RESULTS: Barclays Bapk 3.
WRAC 5: Barnet 2. Polytechnic 4.
Longhborough 12. Leitester 'Univ 0.
Old Gravesendians 5. CUACO 5: Raymes
Petr 2. Westlington Balk
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Swimming BORLAENGE. Sweden: Men: 100m breatistroke: 1, P. Bergeren (Sweden) 1 min, 05.27 sec. 100m breatistroke: 1, P. Bergeren (Sweden) 1 min, 05.27 sec. 100m breatistroke: 1. Too rote of the sweden of the

Nottingham programme

1.30 DALESIDE OPPORTUNITY CHASE (Selling handicap:

ANNESLEY HURDLE (Div I: novices: £670: 2m)

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1 Dupander. P. Cook. 5-11-6 ... M. O'Shea

4330 Fair Humier. M. Ryan. 6-11-6 ... A. Coogan

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11 Jonathan Seaguil 4-1 Polar Express. 6-1 B.M.C. Special. 8-1 James

1. 14-1 Fair Hunter. 16-1 Bucharun. 30-1 athers. 2.0 ANNESLEY HURDLE (Div I: novices: £670: 2m)

2.30 FILLDYKE CHASE (Handicap: £1,339: 31m) | 202 | 11-14sf Lochage (CD) T. Forster 9-11-0 ... Mr T. Thomson Jones 31021 ... Jimmy Mff (CD) i Wardle 8-10-11 ... 8. Smart 100 ... Smart 10

Cheltenham 12.50: 1. Ataiaho (2-1 fav): 2. Farmer (12-1: 5. Meistersinger (12-1: 25 ran. 1.0: 1. Dramatist (5-1 ft fav.) 2. Joint Venture (12-1): 5. Zongalero (1-1: Governor's Last 5-1 ft fav. 9 ma.

(a-1), Tallott Westors 0-11 lev. 5 rsh.

2.45: 1. Carrow Bay 19-2): 2. Bite Chrome (a-1): 3. Dikaro Lady (6-4 fev). 6 rsh. NR: Lord Greystote.

3.25: 1. The Ge-Boy (7-1): 3. Asignall (8-4 fev.): 8 rsh. NR: Vascur.

3.45: 1. The Seelineer (evens fev.): 2. London Gay (11-2): 3. Barsedo (7-1): 10 rsh. NR: Real Pickings, Super Hard and Will Borsen.

4.15: abandoned (fog).

By Our Racing Staff. 1.30 Four Star. 2.0 Jonathan Seaguil. 2.30 Jimmy Miff. 3.0 Tarbank. 3.30 Fortina's Express. 4.0 Brian Venture.

Windsor

VERGSOT

1.45: 1. Cranbourne Tower (11-2);
2. Queen's Masic 15-2 [av.); 3. Vagabond Victor (14-7). 20 ran. NR: Cooden. Run Deep.
2.15: 1. Jugazer (11-1); 2. Munters Joy (6-4 [av.). 8 zm.
2.45: 1. Jugazer (4-1); 3. Glen May 135-1); 5. Kintbury (15-2), 19 ran. Hay Ride (2-1 lav.).
2.5: 1. Paythouse (11-4); 2. Grown Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); March Hay Ride (2-1 lav.).
3.46: 11-4). 6 ran. NR: Cav.); March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); NR: Cav.); NR: Cav. (11-4); 2. Minter Kleininger (9-4 ft.); 13 ran. NR: Cav.); March Marrimonis (15-8 cav.); NR: Cav.); March Marrimonis (15-8 cav.); March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); 3. March Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); 3. Minter Kleininger (9-4 ft.); 13 ran. NR: Caller de Praise.
4.16: 1. Grown Marrimonisi (15-8 cav.); 3. Minter Mycombe (100-50); 3. Parbeen

(16-1), 20 ran, NR; Comrie, Our Doncaster 1.50: 1. 3liver Shadow [7-2 [av.).
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Gold [5-2 [av.]. 5. Tommy Joe
[7-2]: 6 ran. Nr. R. Jack. Madness.
Princiss Rock.
5.0: 1. Paleca Dani [8-1]: 3. Pulse
Rate [9-2]: 5. Skarsky [10-1]. 13
7an.
5.50: 1. Drusus [2-5]: 2. Netherston
[7-2]: 5. Frody Park [6-1]: 2 ran.
2.0: 1. Richdes [10-1]: 2. Direct
Line [11-2]: 5. Phil the fluter [14-1].
Norron Cavaller 9-4 fav. 11 ran.

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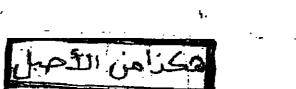
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As early as the nineteenth century they had a translation which still stands among the best in the world, although Mr Sturua commissioned a new one for Richard III.

While the nineteenth-century version reflects Shakespeare's own language more faithfully, the new version by Z. Kiknadze is in modern Georgian. Mr Sturua has also made alterations to the text, gradually reducing the verse during Richard's rise to power. There are several broad changes and rearrangements and the Round House programme provides something of a guide to them, supplying the lines which show Queen Margaret in a new role as chorus, for instance.

For Mr. Sturna such liberties are logical. He believes that there is a different Shakespeare for every country: a Russian Shakespeare for Russians, an English Shakespeare for the English and a Georgian for Georgia. "When Shakespeare Georgia. "When Shakespeare actually performed Antony and Cleopatra", he says, "he wasn't performing something which was essentially Egyptian or essentially English. In that

The Misanthrope

Michael Church

One of the justifications for

the Play of the Month series, reborn last night under the new banner "Festival", stems from the recognition that most people do not have the opportunity to see great plays in the theatre. Television will at least allow the poor things most a

allow the poor things to get a whiff of what they are missing. In the case of Molière's Le

Misanthrope, a new translation

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Rustaveli director and designer: Robert Sturua (left) and Mirian Shvelidze

way I have approached Richard III not as an English tragedy, but as something I can manipulate to convey my own ideas." He sees the play as the spiritual tragedy of a man who has rejected all moral values. Although Richard consciously constructed his kingdom to an ideal, it has been achieved through bloodshed. In order to commit the crimes, Richard has had to change him-

the boot is, I submit, very much

on the other foot. Last night's

viewers will both have seen a

better production and got a better idea of the spirit of the

The original is an extra-ordinary artifact, in form and

in content like a delicately balanced and complicated equa-

tion. Molière's verse, with its energy and economy, is the per-fect vehicle for his virtuoso

exploration of sincerity, hypocrisy, self-love and self-bate.

How on earth can the thing be

Tony Harrison's solution in

his translation for the National

Theatre, was to set it in the Paris of De Gaulle and

duced the six or seven other torture chamber. The painting new productions which join may no longer be recognizable, their repertoire annually. The hut it is there, buried in a

extent of collaboration might be judged from the development of Mr Sturua's idea for a design. He suggested that a painting Pompidou, and to translate it into rhymed couplets of con-temporary colloquial English Result: misery. The undeniably

clever verse kept screaming at us how undeniably clever it was, and the contemporary vibrations kept puncturing the fabric of the plot Louis Marks's solution for this BBC version was to adapt John Wood's Penguin translation, in (fairly) plain and serviceable prose, and set it in the Paris of the twenties. Result (after making allowances for the linguistic loss): delight.

As might have been expected from the producer of Design for Living and The Lost Bous, this Misanthrope was im-

natural reluctance on the part

opened and Mr Hammerstein should not be using the public as a laboratory while remain-

ing exempt from criticism.
As it happens, the perform

ance is largely successful and John Diedrich, the young Aus-tralian who plays Curly, emerges as a very bright addit-

ion to the British stage. He

sings with power and exudes a currently rare masculine self-

currently rare masculine self-confidence that actually pro-pels the entire play. His court-ship of Laurey becomes the major tone of the action; too much so, in fact, but that is largely because Alfred Molina invests too much vulnerability

and humanity in Jud. Not only does that reduce the necessary

menace, but it turns his dearn into a limp, inconsequential moment which is not much

helped by a spot of clumsy

staging. On the whole, Mr Hammer

stein has found a dynamic company that brings life to the songs and expression, to the

always precision, to the dances, Christina Matthews is

a refreshing Laurey and Madge Ryan achieves the benign strength that suits Aunt Eller.

It is the first time Mr Ham-merstein has directed Okla-

homa!, although he has staged most of his father's other col-

laborations with Richard Rodgers, and he makes it seem

both permanent and new. The

flict, but the sheer handsome-ness of the production should carry it into London.

much alive, having thrown off the threat of television by offering the sense of carnival and high theatricality that only live performances can convey. Mr Sturua has one guiding principle for his productions, that each one should be a phenomenoa. There have been different or the productions of the productions of the productions. self so much that he can no by Hieronymous Bosch The difficulties, as might have been expected, in finally assembling the company here with the phenomenon of what Mr Sturua longer realize his ultimate Last Judgement, could be used desires.

Work on the production took about a year, though during that time the Rustaveli also produced the six or seven other duced the six or seven other are during the produced torture chamber. The painting the produced the six or seven other torture chamber. The painting the longer has recognized to the six of the painting that the longer has recognized to the six of the painting that the longer has recognized the six of the production. calls Shakespeare's "happiest tragedy". But in these stormy days there is something of intense human value in knowing that Georgia has Shake-speare on its mind.

distinctly theatrical design: Mr Shvelidze has realized an arena that perfectly suits Mr Sturua's mensely, and appropriately, seductive. From Colin Shaw's exquisite designs, and Carl Davis's piano accompaniments, to the maddeningly pretty per-son of Cheri Lunghi's Célimene, everything conspired to take us whirling along the course of the

protagonist's rage and frustra-tion. Ian Holm might have given a stronger hint of the sensibility which condemns him to his self-lacerating infatuation, but otherwise his portrayal of the biliously perceptive Alceste was spot on. Nigel Hawthorne, as Philinte, modulated subtly between sweet obsequiousness and genuine solicitude. The would-

aristrocratically clicked his heels, the lounge-lizards Acaste (Michael Kitchen) and Clit-andre (Christopher. Good) drawled, minced and giggled: the twenties fitted like a glove. Michael Simpson, who direc-

ted, drew out the talents of his cast to create some memorable scenes, notably those dominated by arch-bitchery between Célimène and Arsinoë (Annette Crosbie). Ungovernable passions boiled beneath the varnished surface of the dialogue and the cameras focused on swivelling eyes, lips parted in piranha-like smiles and looks

of frozen rage.

Memo to M. D. Tel: An early

assuming it to be an illusion.

We also heard good performances of Finzi's Introit and

In Terra Pax and of Holst's

that avoided excessive nuance.

while relishing the atmosphere

of each poem. The upper register of his voice is light

and was occasionally over-

shadowed by some insistent string playing, but he matched

his tone well with Hugh Potts's carefully tailored horn phrases,

elaborate variations. Those revealed an impressive technical

facility in the virtuoso passage-work, a specially dark reson-ance in the lower registers, and

a keen attention to contrasts of

light and shade, crowned by some beautifully controlled

Two Psalms.

produced just the

diction.

Gurabanidze.

accompanied the production to

London, is quick to point out

by Georgian and Russian play-wrights and such Western writers as Harold Pinter.

Theatre in Georgia is very much alive, having thrown off

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be poet Oronte (Julian Curry)

Max Harrison

Williams's Flos Campi are certainly unusual — solo viola, wordless chorus and small orchestra—yet they do not account for an originality that still seems remarkable more than 50 years after the work's composition. A melancholy oboe is sometimes prominent, and there are eltin touches on the celesta, but often the orchestra seems to mediate between the voices and the viola's more complex ruminations. Richard Hickox, who conducted Saturday night's performance by the City of London Sinfonia and the Hickox Singers, with Garfield Jackson as soloist, has a strong feeling for such music, and the finest moments were

poems, mature expression. With a much reduced group of strings, he gave an intimate and thoughful performance

Martin's Lane, where the firm sonatas, but is best remembered by his Studio per il Pianoforte, which the technique of his time

The revival of such music, to

some beau harmonics,

Cramer is worth an evening. He reckoned himself a classicist, in the Mozartian tradition; but there is little of Mozart or Haydn in these studies, still less of the troubled world of a Beethoven. They do, however, have much of refinement and of charm, and an unmistakable hint of early romanticism in their freshness and their fragrant sentiment. One, in A minor, foreshadowed the Noc-turne textures of Field and Chopin, with its florid melody above a gently-rolling bass, several showed singing melodies and expressively thro-

matic harmonies.

All, however, had imaginative passage-work of some kind.

Often it moved from one band to the other; occasionally, when left and right both seemed busy, it appeared to belong to



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Broadway Tower, Worcestershire, designed by James Wyatt (1794)

London, is quick to point out the high reputation the company holds throughout the Soviet Union where last year, in quieter times, they won the state prize for culture for their production of Brecht's The Caucasian Chalk Circle. Shake-speare and Schiller are the two dramatists usually identified with the company, but as the national theatre of Georgia they also perform major new plays by Georgian and Russian play-A family invention

The Wyatts, an architectural dynasty, by John Martin Robinson, OUP 225 (UK)

dynasty. architecturally speaking, usually means a series of architects developing a similar style or attitude. By contrast, John Martin Robin-son is writing about a genuine, genealogical dynasty—the Wyatt family which, within five generations, produced 28 architects, 12 land agents, 10 sculptors, carvers and painters. and several engineers and inventors. His book concentrates its attention upon 11 of these, all of whom achieved considerable fame: the Victorian architects Benjamin Dean Wyatt, Lewis Wyatt, T. H. Wyatt, Sir Matthew Digby Wyatt, and Philip Wyatt; sculptors, R. J. Wyatt and Matthew Cotes Wyatt, and painter Henry Wyatt. The earlier period is represented by Sir Joffry represented by Sir Jeffry Wyatville, and the Georgian period by architects Samuel and James.

Thus the output of this family produced as varying works as Florence Railway Station, Fontbill Abbey, major works in Windsor Castle, Tatton Park, Lancaster House, Dodington Hall and Trinity House, Lon-don. The extensive catalogue of the works of these 11 relatives make not only fascinat-ing but very useful reading, and could become a significant source of reference. Mr Martin Robinson has obviously done a deal of devilling in his Wyatt-

Here the vision is less profound than in Flos Campi, though the result still is acutely poignant. this book. The Wyatts began as builders, carpenters, craftsmen, and inventors before climbing Each detail of the performance was exact, yet a sense of rhap-sodic flow was maintained. The tenor soloist, Philip Langridge, up the social scale. Samuel, a respected architect of the late eighteenth century, was as the Wondrous Chip, since for this music and had excellent he had begun (and continued) as a master carpenter, having the timber contract for Somer-Elisabeth Lutyens probably feels that she has nothing in common with such composers. brothers, the Wyatts speculated (in Portman Square and elsewhere) and, like them, came a cropper in 1773 during and certainly her Elegy of the Flowers, which had its world premiere, has a far more conscious internal organization, a the great slump. The Adams more deliberate patterning, than any of their music. But the had recourse to a lottery; the Wyatts were rescued by Matthew Boulton, whose fac-tory at Soho in the Midlands mood of these settings of poems by C. P. Cavafy is a comparable one of melancholy, almost of was designed by one of them, and with whom Samuel later speculated in the Albion Mill resignation. The verses speak of the dying of spring, of May resembling December; and the feeling is acidic, the textures are quietly ejaculatory, the backgrounds to the vocal line in London. No question in those days that commerce might sully the hands of an architect. (Mr Langridge again) most variously coloured. This is a substantial piece.

For all its interest and magnificent illustrations, it is an odd book—more one of archaeology and bagiography than architecture. Robinson defends James Wyart against the accusation that he "destroyed" cathedrals, without adducing sufficient reason. He defends Samuel against the contemporary claim that Sam-uel might have had a hand in the arson of the loss-making Albion Mill without evidence. There are too many "master-There are too many pieces "Each Wya pieces". Each Wyatt must have his—and some Wyatts more than one. Some, like R. J. Wyart's sculpture, lack convic-

carefully tailored horn phrases, notably in the Nocturne,

The popular young cellist Colin Carr showed himself a player of both skill and sensitivity in Tchaikovsky's "Rococo-Variations". The initial sections were marked by an almost classical restraint, but that was soon dispelled with the more elaborate variations. These There is also a strange sense of isolation from contemporary events. The 1773 crash, referred to above, takes no account of the Adams troubles. Booms and slumps, wars and famines are all remote. The Wyatts seem to have dealt with the second strata of top society (with the exception of the King or Queen) more fre-quently than the top, which may explain t/hy.

The author considers that the Wyart dynasty is important for two main reasons: first, the possibility that heredity may count. Link is adduced on that score. Sons were quate likely to join their fathers or uncles in any business that flourished, apt at it or not. Secondly, it is felt that the Wyatt dynasty and its creations represent a muror of social history for the period. That is possible, but, in view of the isolation mentioned above, inadequately demonstrated. The book is rather a fine work of detection which will tempt the reader to seek further to find out what these people were really like.

Finally, the price is quite outrageous. For £25, one might have expected a work of far greater depth if even narrower in scope, as a text book. It is rather a coffee table book of greater intelligence than many. A book of this content. with this presentation, at this price, stands fair to miss all its

targets at once. Charles McKean





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Haymarket, Leicester Ned Chaillet On Broadway, where revivals of musicals proceed as fast as producers can remember which in attract reluctance on the part of the producers to invite the national press. The production opened in November, assisted by a massive Arts Council grant. The faults in the production, including one or two pieces of miscasting, should have been remedied before in Oklahoma!

transplanted?

original.

producers can remember which have been reme ones made money in the past, there is usually a gimmick, quite often a black cast. The strength of James Hammer-stein's production of Oklahoma! is its straightforward pursuit of the musical's original impact. With an ingenious design of cyclorama and sliding wooden frames by Tim Goodchild, and Gemze de Lappe's vibrant restaging of Agnes de Mille's original choreography, there are moments when it seems as freeh as pour

fresh as new.

The great difficulty with a show as popular as Rodgers and Hammerstein's Oklahoma! is the burden of memories that any audience will carry. Even if no one in the audience saw the Broadway production of 1943, the London production of 1947 or, indeed, played in one of the countless amateur pro-ductions, they must still know most of the score and may find that it is hard to improve on what they remember. Rod Steiger's malevolent portrayal of Jud Fry in the film, for

instance, may colour any but the best periformance of that vile rival for the love of Laurey. Perhaps the very pervasiveness of the show, which really is the first modern musical, makes it a much trickier project than last year's My Fair Lady which was also presented by an arrangement between the Arts Council, the Leicester Hay-market and Cameron Mackin-These thoughts come to mind because there has been an un-

Philharmonia/Handley Festival Hall

Paul Griffiths It might seem the height of perversity to start a Walton concert with a piece by a littleknown composer of 30 instead of with one of Sir William's several orchestral romps. But wait . . . John Walkste's Tune, the work selected by the Philharmonia for this position on Eriday was reasonable. Friday, was no slice of avant

garde complexity but an opener designed to be "immediate, and easily assimilable", an "olive branch to audience and performer alike".

No doubt, its inclusion was also beloed by the fact that Mr Wallace is principal trumpet in the orchestra, for other-

wise its claims could hardly have been taken seriously. The woeful defects of Tune can be attributed to the false problems which Mr Wallace chooses to address. Audiences. he says, do not like contemporary music, so he gives them plenty of comforting echoes from the past. Orchestras have no sympathy for anything unfamiliar, so he offers them nothing unsettling. Rehearsal

Saturday's later editions

so he writes music which is quite easy to play yet which gives everyone a chance to enjoy himself.

of premises, it is not surprising that Tune was a feeble patchwork of memories, chiefly from early Stravinsky. I took it not as an olive branch, but as a wilting buttercup: showy, but utterly commonplace, poorly constructed and most unlikely to survive.

Happily, the rest of the even-ing was a great deal more brac-ing. Ralph Kirshbaum gave a remarkable performance of the Walton cello concerto in which he declined the invitation to wallow in nostalgic sentiment. His tone was pure, and effortlessly produced throughout the range of his instrument, and the effect of this clean singing line was to suggest an alert meditation on primarily music issues: a phrase was to grow, a harmony to soften, and, at the end, a note to die away with perfect smoothness to inaudi-

bility. Vernon Handley, intelligent and hospitable accompanist in the concerto, ended the concert by conducting the same com

poser's first symphony with adtime is limited for a new piece, mirable sureness and strength. Some of the reviews on this page are reprinted from

Queen Elizabeth Hall

scarcely less than ecstatic. Another singular achievement is Finzi's *Dies Natalis*, which matches apt music to a mystical text by Thomas Traherne that celebrates eternal life while

Northern Sinfonia Oueen Elizabeth Hall

Judith Nagley

A scarcity of London concerts by our own northern orchestras has allowed the Northern Sinfonia to acquire a new musical director almost without our noticing Tamás Vásáry, Hun-garian-Swiss pianist and conduc-tor, has now established a firm link with the orchestra wih whom he made his British conducting debut, a link that in time will doubtless both strengthen and broaden the

Neil Jenkins was the capable tenor soloist in Britten's Serenade, bringing to the music a youthful vigour and to the

Virginia Pleasants Purcell Room

Stanley Sadie

The name of Johann Baptist Cramer is familiar to most aspiring planists as well as to anyone who strolls down St he founded still flourishes. He composed more than 100 piano two substantial books of studies, published in 1804 and 1810, in is nearly limned.

listen to rather than to prac-tise, has never been practical as long as our pianists were tied to modern concert grands, against whose heavier virtuoso capacities the music's pastel colours would seem pallid and watery. But now we have fortepianos, and fortepianists like Virginia Pleasants, who, as she

did last year with C. P. E. Bach, are prepared to devote a whole evening to persuading us of the qualities of a composer who catches her interest.

some extra hand in the middle.

Eric Heffer

Why it is wrong to send our man to Chile

banished from Moscow.

The attitude of the Soviet
Government is totally cynical and unforgivable. It is clear that the Soviet leaders have no regard for world public opinion and no real understanding of the meaning of democratic rights.

What is even more worrying

is that they do not appear to understand that their actions are increasing tension between East and West and that the cold war now being created could accelerate into a hot war with the whole of mankind in the camp of the vanquished.

I refer to Labour's protest at Moscow's action because it is important to oppose repression After all, oppression is oppression is oppression, and "leftwing "oppression is no better than "right-wing" oppression. That is why the British Government's decision to send an

ambassador back to Chile is so

deplorable.

Last week, representatives of Labour's International Committee met the Soviet ambassador to protest on Labour's bekalf at Soviet military intervention in Afghanistan. We urged the immediate withdrawal of Soviet troops from that unfortunate country. Within 24 hours of our approach, Dr Andrei Sakharov, the world-renowned Soviet scientist and fighter for human rights, had been arrested and banished from Moscow.

The attitude of the Soviet Government is totally cynical the Government.
In the case of Chile, once the

ambassador had been with-drawn, he should not have been oeen genuinely re-established in that country. It is all very well saying, as Mr Nicholas Ridley did at the Catholic Institute for International Relations last Tuesday, that sending the ambassador back in no way condones the Pinochet regime's cream of the above mentioned report. In the light of recent developments, the Special Rapporteur recommends that the General Assembly should continue to exercise vigilance with regard to the situation of human rights in Chile with a record of the situation of human rights in Chile with a recent state of the situation of human rights in Chile with a recent state of the situation of human rights in Chile with a recent state of the situation of human rights in Chile with a recent state of the situation of human rights. condones the Pinocket regime's view to ensuring that the record on human rights. That is standards and guidelines not the way Pinochet will interpret it inside Chile or in Latin America and at the United that country."

Antons.

In November of last year, the "Special Rapporteur" appointed in March 1979 by resolution of the Commission of Human Rights, presented a report to the 34th session of the United Nations General Assembly. The Rapporteur's terms of reference were "to enquire into the situation of human

regime.

In paragraph 366 it says, "In its last report . . . the Ad Hoc Working Group reported . . . that the situation of human rights in Chile had improved from that existing in the years immediately following the seizure of power by the Military Junta in September 1973 . . it is not possible to confirm that improvement . . . in certain improvement... in certain respects the situation . . . has deteriorated from that described in the above mentioned

The report further says that a so-called "anti-terrorist" law attacks freedom of association and expression; that the security forces have enhanced their powers and cases of tor-ture and ill-treatment of people arrested has increased; that right-wing terrorist organiza-tions operate freely and that new decree laws on labour per-

manently restrict freedom of association, the right to strike and the right to collective bargaining. The "State of Emergency" commutes.

The judiciary cannot freely exercise justice and in 1979 large-scale detenuous arising out of peaceful demonstrations has

of peaceful demonstrations has extended over many days, whereas in 1978, it lasted only a few hours. The junta allows only those who share its views to participate in constitutional

There is no real freedom of expression for the media and the low-paid and the unemployed are finding it increasingly difficult, if not entirely impossible, to get education for their children. University research continues to be reduced Unemployment is rife and wages are lower than ever. The largest price rises have been those of basic necessities and as a result the poor have suffered most. The health ser-vice, which had been built up under successive Chilezen gov-eruments, is severely curtailed and last, but by no means least the junta has still given no answer on the fate of prisoners who have dis-

After the report last December at the United Nations, 93 countries supported a resolu-tion expressing indignation "at the continued violation of human rights" in Chile-



General Pinochet: a good image?

What is also worth noting is that the economic solutions of Professor Milton Friedman which have been tried in Chile have proved to be an unmiti-gated disaster. Unemployment is running at 15 per cent, with economic "freedom" existing alongside political repression.

The British Government's The British Government's action is all the more deplorable in view of the United Nations' report and resolution. It is also disgraceful that the Government has made it more difficult for political refugees from the Latin American countries to seek refuge in Britain. For the past five years, Latin For the past five years, Laun Americans fleeing persecution have been able to find safety here. Altogether, 3,000 of them have been saved from jail and torture. Yet in October last year, Mr Whitelaw, the Home Secretary, announced that he was closing the visa programme.

This has meant that Britain has virtually slammed the door in the refugees' faces, and mw stands alone among its EEC partners, the United States and Canada, in denying Latin Americans the chance of escape from repressive regimes. from repressive regimes.

I conclude with a plea to Mrs. Thatcher and the Government. Stop having double standards on human rights. If it is correct to condemn Soviet repression. and it is, it is also important not to give respectability to the repression in Chile because a democratically elected president and his government were overthrown by force. Change course now. Otherwise, serious opponents of repressive regimes will take your protestations of support for human rights with a pinch of salt.

The author is Labour MP for Liverpool, Walton. C Times Newspapers Ltd, 1980

guished than those of us who were washed ashore on the high tide of 1959. More distin-guished and more comfortable, for the water is warmer for

the less conventional and the party less stuffed. I doubt if

they will be prepared to be as

easily patronized and placated

as we were in the past, and the Whips (the Sandbassers) who once had only to murmur a rebuke, will, if they wish a

there remains the "great game" which will be played for all it is worth.

A damning indictment of Labour

The Labourgovernment set

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R. H. Tavney observed in 1934 that "the degeneration of Socialist parties on assuming Socialist parties on assuming office is now an old story ". His modern day disciples at the Fabian Society demonstrate today that a new chapter of that old story was written by the 1974-79 Labour Government. In a new book (Labour fund Equality, A Pablian Study of Labour in Power, 1974-79, edited by Nick Bosanquet and Peter Townsand") the Wilson and Callaghan Administrations are charged not merely with rearing up the manifesto within mouths up the manifesto within months of taking office. Perhaps the most dearning indicament in a devastating critique of their per-formance is that the Labour Government abandoned its party's traditional concern with

equality. equality.

The authors of the 16 chapters differ in their analysis of what went wrong notably in their reaction to the role of public spending in an era of cuts. But the collective view emerges that the last Labour government lacked the political will to carry out its programme before the oil crisis began, and well before its capacity to carry well before its capacity to carry controversial measures through Parliament was effectively halted by the destruction of its majority.

Thus, a Labour Government committed to bringing about " a fundamental and irreversible shift; in the balance of power and wealth in favour of working people and their families" and to "gliminate poverty where-ever it exists in Britain" within months of taking office had set in train economic policies which led to average cuts in the stan-dard of living of 7 per cent between 1974 and 1977.

Cuts for families over period were greater, with the disposable incomes of families

with four children amounting to a chilling 20 per cent.

Even the introduction—against the wishes of the Treasury and leading members of the Government—of the new child, benefit system did no more than elleviate the effects of other government policies on the poor. By April 1979, the £4 child benefit was still worth less than the combined value of family support available 20 years before, except for one child families.

The roots of that failure grew from what Professor Peter Townsend describes as "a savage act of self-injury" when the Labour Government began to attack public expenditure well in advance of any pressure from the IMF in laying down its conditions for the 1976 loan. For that he blames the Treasury which became the single most influential source in shaping social policy. Professor Townsend says the

Treasury's influence was disastrous. It led to economic policies that increased unemployment more than was necessary, its crabbed and irrational attitude" to public expenditure stunted services for the most vulnerable people, and by reducing real standards of liv-ing failed to confine cuts to those who could bear them more easily. The 1974-79
Labour governments substituted long term public
expenditure cuts for socialist planning, poverty grew substantially, unemployment doubled and a wealth tax was deferred.

Nevertheless, the book, which follows Labour and Inequality published in 1972 which recorded equal dis-appointment with the previous

families were greater. Labour government, acknow-ledges that some of the ful. In particular, existing pensioners were helped to ride the crisis by a dramatic increase in the real value of their pensions during the 1974-79 period, while the hetter incourse for future of better incomes for future pensioners was boosted by the fundamental reform of Social Security Pensions Act 1975. And, while child benefits have not yet risen to the level where they would make a real improvement to family incomes.

But the shadow lying over But the shadow lying over the achievements was the lack of clear direction or pinil-osophy. Mr Nick Bosanquet accuses the Labour government of losing its belief in public spending and contributing to the crisis of public opinion over the value of health and social services, education and housing or social security.

the structure was finally established to make that

He accepts that the government probably had little choice but to slow the growth in public spending in 1975-76, but argues that was no reason to turn what began as a short-term economic adjustment under duress into a longer term social philosophy. Indeed, he argues, there are compelling reasons to let some forms of public spending grow at least as fest as national output, while others should grow more quickly simply to maintain existing standards.

Instead, the government went our of office committed to a growth race for the health service below that for defence which, in Labour terms, seemed hardly feasible and certainly

"The government seemed to lack any belief in the positive role of the core public sector", Mr Bosmouet sense it has to be judged as being far too pessimistic and defeatist."

One of the lessons drawn by

several of the authors is that there must be a greater inte-gration of economic and social policies if the Labour aim of greater equality and social jus-tice is ever to be achieved. But attempts during the life of the

Labour government to achieve that failed dismally.

The joint approach to social policy, which was intended to allow ministers from different departments to consider to-gener the impact of individual policies on other areas of gov-ernment before deciding which should have priority, hardly developed and has now been formally abandoned. The social contract fizzled out and planning in public expenditure was sacrificed to the perceived needs of the balance of pay-

ments crisis. Mr R. Sidelsky said of the 1929-31 Labour government: It struggled to defend the working class as long as it knew how, and when it could defend them no longer it resigned. Far from resigning, the 1974-79 Labour government deliberately chose a strategy in which some groups were protected but most of its supporters suffered.

*Heinemann Educational Books,

Pat Healy Social Services Correspondent

Julian Critchley takes a nostalgic look at the Conservative survivors of the 'Supermac' era



Dining out with the Class of 59

Harold Macmillan and his "fifty-niners". Margaret Thatcher, James Prior, Neil Marten, and two who were lost.—Humphry Berkeley and Christopher Chataway.

October, 1959, intake of Conservative MPs, elected on Mr Harold Macmillan's coat-tails,

waitlines against their diminished hopes. Who were the
ished hopes. Who were the
fiftyniners", and how has the
party changed in the last 20

zee have all tasted office, likely that he would have been

Harold Macmillan's coat-tails, are giving a dinner for the Prime Minister, who was herself elected in that year. Greying men in middle-life will struggle into their dinner jackets and make for Dining Room B in the Commons in minister, a cabinet minister, a cabinet minister, a cabinet minister, and the Solic-routs and rallies of political life and match their expanding match the expensive the most influential Tory backbencher since the war, lost the backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbencher since the war, lost the backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the backbenches in the early patience with the party and backbenches in the early patience with t

match their expanding Ridley and Neil Marten are merchant banking in 1974, lines against their dimin- ministers of state. Mr Johnson How comfortable he would be

party changed in the last 20 years?

Seventy-one Conservatives, were first elected in October, 1959, the election which marked the high tide of the fortunes of the post-war Conservatives. They were once described somewhat characters as "the poorest intake in my can be conservatives as "the poorest intake in my can be can b

when ill, and was replaced by Lord Home, who was the typical backbencher of the day, writ large. In 1975, Mrs Thatcher's vic-

No question about it, it is a nuisance

a rebuke, will, if they wish a hearing, have to raise their voices. What has the rump of the "fifty-niners" to look forward to? Membership of the Council of Europe, la politique gastronomique, service on the newly-formed select committees, and, for some, a handle to their name. But for others there remains the "great The 80 or so newly-elected MPs seem to work as a group in which the moderates surprisingly predominate and which has congealed into two recognizable "cabals", the Blue Chips and the Guy Fawks, dining clubs which complement the One Nation, Nick's Diner and the Lamphighters formed recently to keep the light of moderation

The author is Conservative MP burning in the party. The author is Conservative MP
No doubt the "seventy for Aldershot, and chairman of niners" will be more distin- the party's media committee.

Continuing our series of new words and new meanings

ingly evoked in an avalanche of metaphor in The Times Business Section the other day: "The market was shaken by a sudden plunge in the pound's exchange rate, and as no floor was provided by the Bank, at least at first, there was a snow-balling effect." Like most jargons, the private language of the City slips easily into absurdity. Such technical terms

tone Kops.
There is no question that

such sectional vocabularies are rich sources for resurrection of metaphors from the dead as remarkable as that of Lazarus. There is no question that the sentence constitute a fashion-able phrase. The air if full of confident no questions being used to hustle dubious arguments past authences too slow

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In The Times the other day trumpet-tongued Bernard Levin was sounding off about there being no possible question that Michel Guérard had succeeded in his principal endeavour, which was to make non-fatten-

as, on yet another page a spokesman for the West Ger-man Government was reported as having told a press con-ference that there was no question of any large scale publi-cation of the official volume documenting the Schleyer kid-napping and Lufthansa hijack-

It is a rare Janus phrase that can manage to look in two

At any rate, one old vexed question about question has

puestion about question has been resolved. When questionnaire was imported from france earlier this century (too recent to be included in the original OED fascicle on "Q", published in 1904; in the 1933 Supplement the first example of its use is dated 1901) rapiets complained that 1901), purists complained that it was an immecessary Frenchi-fied immigrant. The great wordFowler himself wrote that it was a pity that we could not be content with our

well in company. Others said that if we did not adopt the perfectly good English word questionary, we should at least stigmatize the French intruder by pronouncing it in a French-ified way, as kestionar. ified way, as kestionar. Usage has ignored the prescriptive purists, as it usually does.
The influence of pollsters and government departments, which preferred questionnuire. wordFowler himself wrote tionnaire, pronounced in an that it was a pity that we could not be content with our mative questionary, which is at home. We do well to Angliquoted by the OED from the sixteenth century. Comments of the English

referred to the word "Renais-sance" in a lecture. After touching on the facial acroba-tics and adenoidal and strangulics and adenoidal and strangu-lated noises that most people found necessary in attempts to deliver the word in French, he exclaimed: "Why don't they say renassans and have done with 2?" In Grand Larousse the first meaning of question-naire is given as a torturer or clerk who sets down the recclerk who sets down the rep-lies of the person tortured: a vivid metaphor for those un-answerable and interminable question lists that civil ser-vants torment us with. Philip Howard

absurdity. Such technical teams as plunge, floor, and snowball or too polite to object. Lives are presumably dead metaphors for chose who use them to stop the nuisance, which will have to live out its busy will have to live out its busy as punge, noor, and snowdan are presumably dead metaare presumably dead metais no question of us being able in food not merely palatable to stop the nuisance, which in their hermetic dairy jargon. For us outsiders they are still but brief life as a vogue very much alive, and are roused by chance collocations grown thred of it. But no question that the makers of a television lity of. But the two distinct

There are few things a New Yorker loves more than to be Yorker loves more man to be playing the markets and winning. That is why, when the gold price was at its peak last week, spirits were high among the hundreds of people queuing in Manhattan's jewellery district to cash in on their heir-leaves and trinkets.

That is also why by midweek, when the price had dipped, the when the price had dipped, the quenes had vanished. Nobody wants to live with the knowledge that he is selling below the top of the market, and there was a feeling that the slump was anyway only temp-

orary.

I was out queue-watching on the day the price was at its highest. In spite of having to wait two or three hours in freezing, the citizens happily clutched their grips, cardboard by camaraderi and the cosy glow provoked by the prospect of raising a little cash on the

tals throughout the western world. I suspect, though, that Outside Rodman and Yaruss, one of the best-known gold merchants on West 47th trict, much of the business is Street, a plump man with a moustache, bundled in a blue anorak and a woollen cap and blowing into his hands, was standing near the front of a and stand on the pavement, queue of about a hundred doing deals and talking shop. Street, a plump man with a transacted in the streets, moustache, bundled in a blue although here by highly respectanorak and a woollen cap and able Hasidic Jews, who wear blowing into his hands, was standing near the front of a and stand on the pavement, queue of about a hundred people. The hand-drawn wagon at his feet held boxes covared. at his feet held boxes covered with a tarpaulin. "This", he declared, "is my

idea of the last frontier. It's a challenge. The trick is to see how close to the edge you can get without falling over it." The single block of West 47th Street between Fifth and Sixth Avenues is known as the diamond district, although business in other precious gems and metals is also under-taken. It has none of the understated descretion of Hatton Garden, but has instead acquired something akin to the The queues may have been character of the pornography no longer than those in Lon- district, whose border is only

tals throughout the western There are the same gaudy, world. I suspect though, that people were having more fun.

There are the same gaudy, flashing neon signs, although bere they read "Gold bought"

reputation as a closed-in, secre-nive community on which light is cast only occasionally, when there is a spectacular their or a dealer murdered for his iewels, and the police and press investigate. It also has the hap-pier reputation of containing some of the best Jewish delica-tessen restaurants in New York. The secrecy had rubbed off on to the people in the queue. Few were willing to give their names or to reveal, except in general terms, what they had

come to sell. A man in a long, dark overcnat had a large suitcase with who bought them in it. "My lunch", he whispered street at a profit.



conspiratorially. " My lunch and a couple of teaspoons They were ready, though, as New Yorkers generally are, to share their philosophy on life and the state of the markets, as they sipped hot coffee and nibbled doughnuts provided by an enterprising bystander who bought them from a local cafe and sold them on the

Rodman and Yaruss organized separate queues for dealers and the general public. The man in the blue anotak was an antiques dealer who had bought gold and silver in the last few weeks and was here to take his

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Did he, then, have an inkling that the market had reached its peak? "That doesn't concern me," he replied. "I work on margin. I don't have much capital so I have to sell what I buy.

"With the money I'll go buy some more and hope it keeps going up. If it doesn't I'll have to sell anyway because I'm under-capitalized. I just hope I get paid before my cheques start bouncing. It's a struggle." I put to him the fear ex-pressed by some that people were melting down fine old works of art that could never be replaced, but he dismissed it. Most of what he had was of little intrinsic value except

for the metal content. "It's people's wedding rings, high school graduation rings, broken pieces and rings with

the stones missing", he said. much more than the paper it's about a thousand altogether."

Sometimes it makes you want printed on."

Some had less ambition to laugh, or cry. You get wedding rings inscribed: "for ever, John, 1973", or "Merry Christmas from your loving mother" and here are people selling them for the selling them for the money. "Of course if people do melt down antiques that's good for us in the trade. It means that the pieces that are left will go up in value."

In the queue I spoke to a film producer wearing a stylish tweed overcoat. "I'm going through a divorce," he confided, "so I have two wedding rings which don't have sentimental value any more".

"I've also got a couple of the clips and a school ring and a silver adentity bracelet I had in the services in the early Fifties. I'll sell it all for a few bundred so I'll be able to give my wife a little more money in the settlement."

Next to tam was a man in blue dungarees. I knew his name because it was embroid-ered on his front pocket, alongered on his front pocket, alongside the name of the laundry
company for which he worked.

He had some rings which
belonged to members of his
family and some gold fillings
about whose origins he was
reluctant to commit himself.

Lea's just say I used to work
for a house-clearing firm and
we used to clear the effects of
people who died."

And the wisdom of exchanging all this for money which
may not have any lasting
value? "I don't plan on keeping it that long", he answered,
smiling.

ing it that long", he answered, a silver school ring and a tarnished silver salt school ring and the content of the price since, it would be a bold prophet who would now rule that out of the pieces of gold and jewelry if ye question. The queues on West's sold some gold coins round the corner for \$200 (about 190). I york's outdoor social life.

Some had less ambitious ideas. A college student taking the morning off from classes, immaculately turned out in a deep wine overcoat, did not expect more than \$200 if she

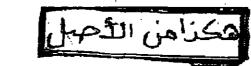
expect more than \$200 if she was lucky. She was going to sell some out-of-fashion gold jewelry and buy something newer to replace it.

Three middle-aged women with rings to sell were swapping rumours about the latest gold price. "I hear it opened at \$850 in London". Said one knowledgeshy "I said one, knowledgeably. "I have a friend on Wall Street who says it will go up to \$1,500."

"I've heard two thousand",

one of her companions chimed in, determined not to be outance of the price since, it would be a bold prophet who would now rule that out of the

Michael Leapman_



The Republic of Ireland has started 1980 with an over-heated economy, continuing discontent about taxes, and a new Prime Minister pledged to public expenditure cuts. Denis Taylor discusses the implications of the change at the top

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Haughey's withdrawal and Mr strongly favouring Mr Haughey's accession But had the Fianna Fail Government decision was close and went been seen to be go erning to the victor 44 votes to 38.

Mr Lynch and led to a bar mould of his late father in-on the expression of her re-law and Prime Minister, Mr publican views. Then there Sean Lemass, looked the

When Mr Charles Haughey replaced Mr Jack Lynch as Prime Milister of the Republic of Ireland last month, some outsiders, including Ulser Protestants, saw the event as evidence of deep stirrings in the Irish nationalist soul. The moderate Mr Lynch, whose attitudes towards Britain and Northern Ireland had earned him the name "Union Jack Lynch" from the Provisional IRA and their sympathizers, had bowed off he stage. He was succeeded by the politician who in 190 had been charged with illeally importing arms into the republic, tried and acquitted.

Nationalist entiments played a part in the crisis which leed to Mr Lynch's withdrawal and Mr Haughey's accession. But had been charged with a part in the crisis which leed to Mr Lynch's withdrawal and Mr Haughey's accession. But had been charged with a part in the crisis which leed to Mr Lynch's withdrawal and Mr Haughey's accession. But had been charged with a part in the crisis which leed to Mr Lynch's withdrawal and Mr Haughey's accession. But had been charged withdrawal and Mr Haughey's the Fianna Fail

effectively and had the economy not deteriorated after two prosperous years, there would have been insuffcient pressure on Mr Lyne to withdraw from the presiership.

The anti-partitionist pulic statements of Miss Sile is Valera, granddaughter of the party's founder and Fiania Fail Dail deputy, embarrassel Mr Lynch and led to a bar mould of his late father-in-

local elec- Garet FitzGerald, an econo- economic issues. He spelt



nomy, there is room for long-term optimism. The immediate economic outlook immediate economic outlook is discouraging. But while the Irish Republic stands at the bottom of the European Community league table for per capita gnp, the level of affluence now found not only in the more traditionally prosperous east but also across the country would have been inconceivable a generation ago.

But it would be misleading to see the church as a monolith directing political behaviour. While changes in the law on contraception ally prosperous east but also during the 1970s, some priests, by treating artificial birth control as a matter of conscience, have shown less preoccupation with doctrine

remains high, but the tide of emigra- has traditionally exercised zion to seek work has been immense authority in matstemmed and the population ters of sexual authority, its is rising, reversing a histori-cal trend. Lifestyles increas-have usually made little imingly resemble those found in Britain or on the Continent. The lack of a response by the Provisional IRA to nent. The car, the colour the Pope's appeal for peace

apace as the developers move pean Community arguably in and banks and insurance has made the Southern Irish companies sprout. The new more European than their

Another trend is a perceptible erosion in the the traditional authority of the is still room for improving Roman Catholic Church. Ninety-six per cent of the population of the Irish Republic are Catholics, and it looks from the outside as if the hold of the church is rock solid. Television pictures of the reception given

Drogheda appeal for an end guage, was already a lost to violence, perceptive cause.

Carbolics also noted the condemnation of divorce by the perceptive was sounded with a property of the property of the perceptive cause.

There has been a decline in But while there is the view regular attendance at Mass that reconciliation hetween among young people in northern Protestant and Dublin and to a lesser extent Catholic must come before in country areas. But quest any form of Irish unity, tioning, not rejection, is the there is still little apparent key word. Some have given comprehension of the degree

Surveys among school. Irishmen, irrespective of leavers have shown a decline whether they belong to that in the number considering minority with any sympathe priesthood or a religious thies for the IRA, and even the priesthood or a religious order, with doubts expressed if they hope that the longed-about the finality of the com-mitment required and about Ulster does not come too the vow of celibacy.

was the controversy sur-nore credible candidate to rounding the agreement on in the next election due at British military flights beyond the border. But both issues should be seen in a much wider context.

Fianna Fail defeats in for the first time by Dr month was exclusively on the properties of the context of the context of the first time by Dr month was exclusively on the standards of the rest of Western that government spending the country had been catholicism remains exceptionally high by the standards of the rest of Western that government spending the country had been catholicism remains exceptionally high by the standards of the rest of Western that government spending the country had been catholicism remains exceptionally high by the standards of the rest of Western would have to be cut.

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preoccupation with doctrine than many politicians.

While the Irish Church nent. The car, the colour the Pope's appeal for peace television set and the should not have come as a foreign holiday have made the late President Eamon de a hundred years supporters of physical force for poliself-sufficient, Irish-speaking tical ends have ignored the nation look incredibly remote. There is another side to progress. The desecration of Georgian Dublin continues apace as the developers many

in and banks and insurance companies sprout. The new more European than their architecture ranges from the attractive to the brutalist, but it could be found anywhere in Europe instead of in a unique and elegant, if twin temptations to appear to the British neighbours. The European role has given a great boost to Irish self-confidence and reduced the twin temptations to appear to the British for domestic ills. for domestic ills.

But Northern Ireland re mains an area where there is still room for improving

rock solid. Television pictures of the reception given arguing that the first priority to the Pope certainly reinforced this impression. The first visit by a Pope to a country where the Catholic faith has endured for 1,500 years was a tremendous historical and emotional experience for the Irish.

But while attention in relegated to a distant future. But while attention in relegated to a distant future.
Britain and Northern Ire- The other chief goal, the
land was focused on the restoration of the Irish lan-

demnation of divorce by the note was sounded with a Pope in Limerick, and his Fianna Fail call for British Galway address to youth on withdrawal made in 1975 the evils of the permissive when the party was in an society, and saw in them a unaccustomed period of reflection of some Irish opposition. Mr Lynch how-bishops' desire to hold the ever, did not allow this to line against lay influences.

The receiving how a young turn to office two years The republic has a young turn to office two years population and more of the later with the biggest majovoung are quescioning trading rity of any government in monal church teaching the history of the state.

up going to confession but of northern Protestant anti-still go to Mass and are pathy to close links with the searching for a more per-sonal fasth. republic. Reunification re-mains a dream for Southern if they hope that the longed-



But Mr Haughey, tough guy of Irish politics, and when it came time to had planned his strategy reply he hardly bothered to well. He appealed to nation defend himself.

His brief tenure of office since early December has not been marked, as had been feared, by an uphcaval in Anglo-Irish relations. Although the British are obsessed by those relations, Irish politicians are bored by the subject and it has re-mained somewhere near the bottom of the Irish Government's priority list.

Nor is there any evidence IRA. Indeed, some spectacu-lar bomb finds just south of the border seem to demon-strate that the security

Since the arms trial of probably wrong.

1970 he has been at work polishing his image and it Christopher Thomas

But he encountered a within Fianna Fail, which favoured the much less personable George Colley for Taoiseach, was trounced by the party's field workers in favour of the rumbustious and colourful Mr Haughey.

His appointment as Prime Gael, was merciless in his Minister surprised the Irish; attack, which strayed far he seemed to be a name from beyond the normal bounds of political cackfishing. But the past, somebody who had of political cockfighting. But missed his chance and would achieve nothing greater than Minister of Health.

But Mr Haughey, the chamber throughout it all.

well. He appealed to nationalist sympathizers because of the feeling that he had dabbled on the fringes of Republicanism although there was nothing really to substantiate that.

He is nowhere on record as expressing republican views; he relied on the province. His father was forced out by the extremist province. His father was forced out by the extremist of hatred in the early 1920s.

A few years after his father fled, Charles Haughey

those views to him. So with-out saying anything his father fled, Charles Haughey image as a hard line "deep was born in the Irish Free green" Republican grew: State and later was educated his silence on the marrer in Public Line was educated green "Republican grew: State and later was educated his silence on the matter, in Dublin. He was at school however, ensured that he did with George Colley, now his not alienate all the moderate elements within Fianna Fail. Opponent in the leadership Mr Haughey appealed to contest. They had been lifethose most dominant of Irish emotions, romance and passion. uncomfortably.

What of his performance as Prime Minister so far? Everybody suspected his first action might be to advance the cause of national-ism; that was because Mr Haughey had allowed them to think so, without actually saying anything of the sort.

So, to the surprise of many people in Northern Ireland and Westminster, the econ-Nor is there any evidence that the Irish police and On bresent showing he has a Army are any less active in their efforts against the IRA Indeed, some spectacular and westminster, the economy has been his priority to the Irish police and westminster, the economy has been his priority to the Irish problem.

On the Ulster front he has. heartily condemned the Prostrate that the security forces are enjoying much success. Cooperation with the British security forces is also better than it has been for many years:

Mr Haughey's political guile is conducted with codsiderable flair: as Minister for Haelth be increasized. When it does the new security forces are enjoying much belie any impressional IRA in terms that minister is sently belie any impression. The might have given of tacit. The mig

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Double-barrelled pot-shots at the IRA

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shares a deep and emotional commitment to Irish unity, it sometimes embarrassed the party to be assisting in the maintenance of the maintenance of the maintenance of the officer. That was all very well until the court started imposing to the court allows to enter a please because they did not recognize the court, and such a change in the Act which, under international law, for bids extradition for political offences, or a change in the sual definition of terrorist to the court and such a change in the such the court, and such a change in the such the court, and such a change in the such the court, and such a change in the such the court and such a change in the such the court and such a change in the Act which, under international law, for bids extradition for political offences, or a change in the such the court and such a change in the such the court and such a change in the court, and such a change in the court and such a change in

prior permission.

The secret arrangement caused an immediate furore when it was confirmed by Mr Lynch during a press conference in the Washington Press Club during his tour of the United States.

Despite his denials, he gave more information to the Morth, he more information to the Manual American merson suspected to be political.

The Irish Government, the evidence of the police is the evidence of the police is so often based on hearsay, the value of the law.

The Irish Government, the evidence of the police is their approach in relation to the so often based on hearsay, their approach in relation to the dence to the Irish police dissatisfied and dismisses aid, and added that there against the person suspected the case. Consequently, the of crime in the North, he number of convictions of the IRA is well down.

This is possible under the Relations between Dublin Haughey's reign, however.

knows how much the clash contributed towards his rorists can be tried on Mrs Margaret Thatcher is at his press conference on decision to quit the leader whichever side of the deeply concerned at crit the day of his election as border they are captured, icisms in America of the day of his election as Taoiseach he said unequinegrated disappointment to offence was committed.

The difficulty, however, is such a deep personal interest in the launching of the situation. It has it is almost impossible terest in the launching of Christopher Thomas

Economy

Public spending

must be cut

more information to the Republic.

American newspapermen This is possible under the Relations between Dublin Haughey's reign, however, then he gave to his own Criminal Law Jurisdiction and Westminster stand or there have been no signs of backbenchers in Dublin. It Act, which was passed unan-fall on the attitude of each what the change of emphasis was a delicate time for the imously by both the West- to the situation in the Prime Minister, and only he minister and Dublin parlia- North, and their respective in his condem-

Agriculture

Banks now defer to the farmer

To talk of Anglo-Irish relations is to talk, to a large extent, about cross-border coperation in trying to frustrate the Provisional IRA's attempts to bring Northern Ireland into unity with the Republic.

Under the leadership of Mir Jack Lynch the ruling Fianna Fail party coperated extensively with the authoricies of the North. Given that Fianna Fail also shares a deep and emotional commitment to Irish unity, it sometimes embarrassed the party to be assisting in the new Prime Minister, Mr nesses to come forward, according to one story, the latest political initiative. According to one story, the summoned Mr Humph According to one story, the summoned Mr Humph the Republic one day in September and one into unity in the European Community. Their State for Korthern Ireland, one day in September and one into unity in the security efforts a search of the Irish security forces appear to be

The food processing industry in particular has taken off under EEC membership, and now employs about 40,000 people, compared with a mere 2,000 people employed on the laud by 150,000 farmers.

problem. The food processing industry, which is expanding rapidly, has seen a number of perhaps inevitable clashes over wages and conditions have in general conditions, but in general labour relations are good.

The processing industry is almost 100 per cent union farmers are a sowerful politiorganized, and the biggest cal force and ministers for
single union is the Irish agriculture ae cautious not
Transport and General to upset then. The farming
Workers A spokesman there wore swings from party to was in no doubt. "In a young growth industry like food processing, employees are offered many opportunities. We have no serious the Irish Farmers Association of the party and cm influence the fate of individual agricultural ministers.

The Irish Farmers Associations of the party and cm influence the fate of individual agricultural ministers. problems."

The state has a big hand agree place for agriculture in the processing industry in the economy. and has shown a firm will-ingness to involve the workforce at the highest level in begine more aggressive, decision-making. In the Three is considerable ill-frei-

However, the drift has not foolhardy government that been entirely latted and job tried to do it. planners in the Manpower Consultative formulates say

farming community. Dennis Keary is the fourth genera-tion to farm 65 acres bet-ween Loughrea and Athenry. co Galway. There were rimes when the bank refused to cash a cheque, but now it offers him all the money he can afford to borrow.

Irish farm prices have quadrupled in five years, and Dennis Keary's annual come has risen from £3,000 The family farm obviously come has risen from £3,000 has no industrial relations to £12,000 in that time. He took advantage of the EEC Farm Modernization Scheme, which provides capital to invest in more efficient methods. That belps to buy a £2,200 milking machine.

Similar stores can be repeated countless times. The farmers are a sowerful polici-

The Irisl Farmers Associa-tion (IFA) meets ministers problems."

The latest pay deal, which was achieved without a two or three times a month single lost working day, gave The IF Acomplains that there a package of increases is need for greater dialogue amounting to about 20 per cent, taking the average between what it calls the four cent, taking the average social artners—farmers, embasic wage for a male worker plant, government and to 165 a week.

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Sice a change of leadershid in 1976, the IFA has force at the fugnest level in decision-making. In the state-run Irish Sugar Company, a third of the board's members are workers representatives, under new worker participation legislation. The first elections armers maintained a chorus were held last year and the of complaints despite their scheme appears to be work-hopping prosperity of the

nity has had the expected Nevertheless, the farmers effect on wage and has are powerful enough to en-also saved some remote vil- sure that their new proslages from a siw death as perity is not lightly taken the poor farmer moved out. from them; it would be a

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The lesson he drew was

The figures be quoted may its international competitiveseem insignificant to British ness readers, but it should be Part of the present despon-borne in mind that the dency is because the dash Southern Irish economy is for growth under the Fianna approximately one-thirtieth Fail Government elected in the size of that of the United 1977 seemed to be working Kingdom. Mr Haughey said so well, and jobs were being

that to meet the running created at an unprecedented costs of the state and its rate. capital programme, more Even today, the prospection of the state and to be borfor Irish industry do not look too discouraging. This

Industry tends to look at one well rehearsed in Britain. its prospects in much longer dustrialists think the right "We will have to cut down than the short-term. The pic-decision was taken. on government spending. The ture here is of an annual Government are taking far growth rate of about 6 per too much by way of taxes cent from the middle of the from individual members of 1960s until 1973 when the the community. But even this figure was 10 per cent. Over

the community. But even this figure was 10 per cent. Over amount is not enough to meet our commitments. We will just have to reorganize government spending so that we only undertake the things which we can afford."

This stringent tone was 25,000 approvals. About continued the next day when the Government published a White Paper on investment and national development to 1983 with a preface coldly Continental and Japanese

and national development to electronics.

1983 with a preface coldly stating: "Since the White firms are moving into the Paper was finalized the interest is coming from the domestic situation have worsened, particularly in relation to the price and availability of energy."

The pessimism has not developed overnight. The tariff barriers means that Central Bank of Ireland's Irish industry must be more autumn quarterly bulletin competitive, goods produced quarterly bulletin competitive, goods produced

The short-term outlook for forecast a serious deterioration the balance of paying. After two years, 1978, when the republic had the fastest growth rate in the Organization of Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD), the past few months have seen a sweet of the economy, which is expected to he heavily deflationary.

As Mr Charles Haughey, Lasting the prime Minister, told the nation on television earlier this month: "The figures which are just now becoming away beyond our meeus.

As a community we are living at a rate which is simply not justified by the amount of goods and services we are producing."

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A significant inducement of the tax holiday of up to 20 years granted to foreign companies producing for export. The indication on the past of the year, and this was without allowing for the community are rent growth rate for the past few months have seen a sufficient this reparation tax on profits from all manufacturing in the distribution of Irish exert.

May 1978.

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the British market and 30 cent for the rest of the C. The Confederation of Irish Industry estimates that by 1988, two-fifths of sales will be to the continental members of the EEC and 35 per cent to the United

In this context, the Irish decision to break the his-torical link with sterling and ioin the European Monetary rowed last year.

"That amount is equal to one-seventh of our entire per cent and 8 per cent last national output for the year. This is just far too high a rate and cannot possibly long winter, which had adverse.", he said. Trade verse effects on food prohad also deteriorated, with a deficit of £760m.

The large had also deteriorated to look at the look at sources. But on balance, insources. But on balance, in-

> The private sector points recently been in the public sector, but Mr Haughey has expressed particular concern about the whole area of industrial relations and said that any further serious interruption in production or the provision of essential services this year would be a

In his television speech however, he said that indus trial relations were not a one-sided affair, and that managements who allow a drift to confrontation can be just as much to blame as un-official strikers. But what he really wanted was a un-versal commitment to industrial peace in 1980. Few Irishmen will be tempted to

Denis Taylor



European leaders during the recent EEC summit meeting in Dublin.

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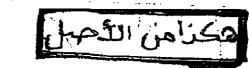
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Joining EEC brings new self-confidence

opened a market of more than 260 million people to Irish industrial products, the Community begins to look less like a crock of gold for the farmers. The Irish Republic has a larger proportion of the labour force employed in agriculture than portion of the labour force employed in agriculture than any other EEC country, and the Common Agricultural rollicy has benefited them and made Ireland a tactical ally of the French. The present rethinking on the desirability of food surpluses could help to temper lish farmers' enthusiasm for Europe. But whatever the future economic implicathe future economic implica-tions of membership, the political significance of en-try to the EEC seven years ago is unquestionable. This step has helped to

give the Republic of Ireland a new self confidence. The kate President Eamon de Valera had the stature, while Valera had the stature, while Prime Minister, to assert an Irish identity through the League of Nations. In the postwar era, the country played a modest but increase in United Nations. ing role in United Nations activities, notably the peaceoperations in the Cyprus and the

joining the EEC brought two important changes, First Dublin was freer to make economic and choices without continual reference to decisions already taken in Bri

rather that they do not envy the Italians in having to cope with the first half of this year.

Dublin sees Rome having to face up to an aggravated energy crisis and a worsening international recession, quite apart from the difficulties given the close emigrant posed by Britain's demands for financial redress. This there were consulates-gene issue hung like a cloud over ral established in New York, Boston, Chicago and San Francisco as well as the states and missions at the United States, that they do not envy the Italians in having to cope and become too limited. Arab world. Cairo came next interest, mean that an Irish in April, 1975, followed by diplomat should not suffer from boredom. It has also meant early promotions, with Nairobi and Peking were added last year, and development and offices have begun work in Lesotho, Tanzania same time, promised curs in public expenditure could the Dublin summit in Novembra and San Francisco as well as the first diplomatic passe in Arab world. Cairo came next interest, mean that an Irish diplomat should not suffer from boredom. It has also meant early promotions, with Nairobi and Peking were added last year, and development and offices have begun work in Lesotho, Tanzania and Zambia.

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Although the EEC has opened a market of more than 260 million people to Irish industrial products, the Community begins to look

Vietnamese children meet to 135 the clown at a circus in Irish missions tend to be hoat people are now living the couple of the clown at a circus in Irish missions tend to be run on a shoestring. A couple

from 11.5/m in the present Irish foreign policy is financial year. Just over acquiring a more commercial half the budget is for edge. Trade and energy are general running costs and half for contributions to the United Nations and dethe government-to-gove velopment aid. There has not been such a sharp increase been such a snarp increase plies from Iraq and the VISIT in staff. Headquarters staff of a trade mission to China. In Dublin have gone up from The Irish are thinking of 40 to 100 since 1970 and what just a fraction of the those posted abroad from 73 Chinese market could do for

is not yet any organized training in difficult languages before officials are posted abroad. Mr Edward Brennan already spoke Rus-

ment contract for oil sup-plies from Iraq and the visit

their exports.
The Northern Ireland problem can always sour relations between Dublin and London. But Anglo-Irish relations do not look quite as obsessional a part of Irish foreign policy agenda as well.



Mr Haughey on the right track

The traditional Irishman's biased VAT treatment of many foals are born in more horses being put into love of racing is one that bloodstock sales in Ireland foreign lands where their training. transcends even political and France and the unfair dam has gone to be covered. Berning is big business in and this boundaries and two especi- competition that this preboundaries and two especially keen racegoers were the sented to breeders in Britain. there has been a dramatic fianna Fail Taoiseach. Mr He hinted that this charge growth in the size of the wagered almost £12m with less to energy needs. Sean Lemass and his Fine could eventually bring Ire Irish bloodstock industry the Tote and more than and I calculate that in this £52m with the bookmakers.

Sean Lemass and his Fine Cael opposite number, Mr Liam Cosgrove. No political term to my knowledge, however, has got himself quite so deeply embroiled in the sport as Mr Charles Haughey, the recently-elected successor to Mr Lack Lynch.

The successor to Mr Lock Lynch.

The successes on the track of a sprinter, Miss Cossie, originally fired his enthusiasm and she became the foundation. of a small study which he set up at his home in north co Dublin. Today Mr Haughey has 10 broad mares and he has become a regular vendor of yearlings each autumn. Through hunting has a cquired a taste for National Hunt racing and to visitors to his home he displays with pride the trophy he received when the same and the course before the same and the same and the same and the has become a regular vendor of yearlings each autumn. Through hunting has a squared to the old style of stud book applance while Liam to the old style of stud book the large and a flourishing racecourse and the last carry at least for the received when the course and the same track and france before the same and the stratum trificiant to the old style of stud book the flushed and france before the same and the same the same and the same track and france than in this flushed bring free this many has deeply with the flushed has become a regular vendor of yearlings each autumn. Through hunting he also acquired a taste for National Hunt racing and to visitors to his home he displays with pride the trophy he received when the same and the form fewer than 4,000 to almost 8,000. It is often a relevant criticism that more the same doubt the fewer than 4,000 to almost 8,000. It is often a relevant criticism that more the same doubt the same the smallest meeting, when the size of the betting at event the size of the sevent the size of the betting at the form fewer than 4,000 to almost 8,000. It is often a relevant criticism that more the same doubt the same of the sevent the size of the betting and the savent and calculate the mere in the same of the same of the same of

Vilforo won the Power Gold
Cip at Fairyhouse.

Through this first-hand knowledge he has acquired a particular appreciation not only of the reward but also of the hazards involved in the breeding of bloodstock and he can therefore be relied upon to continue the bipartisan policy whereby thoroughbred breeders enjoy a special tax-free situation which has made them the envy of their European counterparts.

Indeed Irekand is the only major bloodstock breeding committy where horses are zero rated for the purposes of value added rax.

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by Robert Robson, John Porter and Fred Darling.

If tax concessions have helped breeding, the one innovation which, more than any other, transformed the face of Irish racing was the establishment in 1945 of the Racing Board. Long before British racing had its levy board, Ireland had a state sponsored body with the legal right to operate the Totalisator and to collect a levy on all course bets with

bookmakers. Millions of pounds comes from these two sources each year, and they have provided the money both to improve racetracks for the public and to offer worthwhile prizes

Figures issued earlier this month by the Racing Board compared 1970 with 1979. The minimum prize rose from £300 in 1970 to £1,200 in 1979, while the total prize money increased from £995,861 to £3,529.317. More money has inevitably led to

for owners.

Peat softens the blow of energy prices

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The Irish are relieved that choice of the EEC cardio for the property in the Community, states and candidates for adhese our mean sage. This does not mean sage. This worth for the property in the Community, states and candidates for antibodic states and candidates for antibodic states. The following year, the living which community is worthed they do not envy the littles in lawing the community of the first half of this year. The property of the EEC points of view during their was monthal they do not envy the littles in lawing to community of the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of this year the first half of this year. The property of the first half of this year the first half of

But rurf is not the main preoccupation. Oil is the prize the Government wants to win, and from time to time the republic goes into a state of excitement as rum ours spread of big finds. The worst fear is that big oil companies will not find anything worth while, will be-come dispirited and will give up the search.

The drilling commitment which were made under the licences granted in 1975 are expected to be almost coma part of Irish foreign poney as they did at the start of the 1970s. There are now a pletted later this year and after that the oil companies that the oil companies can make up their minds whether to continue.

As in other countries, the attempt to reduce oil con-sumption (Ireland depends on oil for 75 per cent of its energy) has not had concerted government attention in Ireland until recent years. But the oil crisis has focused the republic's mind quickly and sharply.

With the move away from expensive oil-fired central heating to electricity, the Electricity Supply Board is in danger of not being able to meet demand in severely cold weather. Power cuts are an ever-present danger.

The national pear board has on average excavated about four million tons of peat a year, 75 per cent of which was used to generate electricity. Two years ago more than 15 per cent of Ireland's primary energy came from peat excavated from the ancient bogs.

It was not, before the oil price rises, particularly cheaper than other energy sources. Imported oil and coal were highly competitive, but peat excavation had the sound advantage of provid ing employment in the depressed areas, where most bogs are. Ironically, now that pear is cheaper than oil coal, the supplies are running out.

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Maeve Binchy, The Irish Times, examines tourist standards

Just what the Europeans are looking for

from Britain for a holiday, never been foreseen that gantuan hotels we did not This may have included such tragic things would have the money for ourlarge numbers who work in occur in Northern Ireland selves. Now, just in time, we see their mothers and that these would have can see what the island the other less important (but really does have to offer. who came on conferences and for business combined with holidays. However, the figure is none the less impressive, because for a while there was the deep fear that lier? there was the deep fear that lier?
British tourists—on whom Ir

years in Northern Ireland have not helped to foster rapport; cheap and competi-tive continental holidays for British holiday-makers were another source of difficulty; and the accusations of an lrish holiday being pricey and awkward turned

are much improved. In the last year for which statistics are available, British tourists have contributed £79m to the Irish economy, and the sight of cars with GB registrations is now commonplace. The of cars with GB registrations is now commonplace. The hotels that had planned their new rooms and their whole strategy back in the 1960s—

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3 Year for what it would cost specifically with the British holidaymaker in mind-are them for one boating holiday now able to breathe again. The fear that the whole expansion and development to

British tourist fairs and pro- a leaf-covered Irish lane, motions in order to sell their with affectionate feeling for back in business as a holiday after weeks of industrial

Irish tourist interests re- beauty spots. Now nobody mals while their parents sigh to Wicklow. Last year I saw and style and quality when alized they had been concen- will grant all kinds of facili- enviously over the great an English couple at Russ- times were lean.

Last year more than a mil-trating too much on the ties to foreigners to come in lion people came to Ireland market next door. It had and build the kind of garfrom Britain for a holiday, never been foreseen that gantuan hotels we did not this may have included such tragic things would have the money for our-

lier? land. The sense of parti-Ireland looked nervously cipation enhances any holithe whole Irish tourist intowards Europe for tourists day, and it is fair to say that
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The country be further increased by helppected success. The country be further increased by helppected success. pected success. The country be further increased by help-was proved to have exactly ful people such as patient what a great many Euro-peans wanted; peace, fresh horse handlers, and marair, opportunities for boat- vellously confident boatmen ing, fishing and riding who give you thousands of horses. Ireland had unspoilt, pounds' worth of craft as windswept cliffs and long casually as if they were beaches with no so-called ing a pound of tomatoes. "facilities". To Germans Ireland is a country w casually as if they were sell-

and awkward turned who were accustomed to can be seen very well but now apparently things are much improved. In the ways where boat hire was These are for people to ways where boat hire was These are for people to expensive Ireland seemed a come together on the flimsiparadise. I met a German couple last year who had hired a motor cruiser on the in Germany.

I met a Dutch family who take their children on the cater for an English type of horse-drawn caravan holiday tourist might have been every year. They pretend it wasted is receding. vasted is receding. is for the children, but actu-Nowadays Irish hoteliers ally they enjoy it themselves. and tourist concerns come The sheer peace of winding freely and enthusiastically to at four miles an hour down goods. Ireland seems to be an Irish horse, is therapeutic towns.

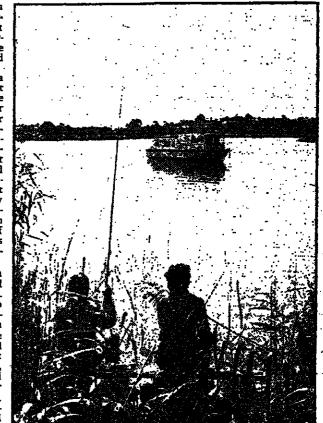
destination.

In many ways the falling. These tales are not meant off of British tourists may as hymns of praise to the have helped the Irish delights of Ireland. They are tourist industry. It had to examine itself more honestly. Were the standards having had the sense to see high enough? Could some and recognize what Ireland thing be done to make the had to offer. We had to wait food more appealing? Were until the British tourists food more appealing? Were until the British tourists

Ireland is a country which est of excuses, and you might well meet faces at the seafood festival in Kenmare as at the light opera festival in Waterford, the Merriman summer school Festival or Listowel races. A festival consists of organized days and disorganized nights, for its mere exist-ence means an extension of the drinking hours and of opening times in the pubs.

Ireland is well seen, too,

through two kinds of accommodation in particular. One is its newly established accommodation in country houses. These are listed and praised in international as well as Irish guides, so the praise is not just parochial.



Cruising ' Isles and a popular playground in the republic.

economic advantages the cared to look.

the European Community. praise is not just parochial. Often they are family homes with all the original paintings and silver, and the whole family joining in to make the guests feel welcome. At the other end of the financial scale, but equally tasteful and showing what is best in Ireland, are the farmhouses. This type food more appealing? Were until the British tourists what is best in Ireland, are the farmbouses. This type that we must have had just charm and the memory of it to come and sit in a hotel woo the Europeans, then we for a week without making had to wait until the Europeans, then we fior to entertain them peans told us what was available?

Another great error was Now nobody will build kent and Sweden staring are that we must have had just charm and the memory of it for holiday, ideal for families as good back at home. We that brings the people back, with young children, has certainly had them, as any and now when they are combecome enormously popular list of houses to view will ing back they will find a now has young visitors from land can examine the learnt a lot from its mistakes. Another great error was Now nobody will build kent and Sweden staring amazing Beit collection of at the boom time, and one revealed at this time, for the monstrosities of hotels in with fascination at the ani-paintings in Russborough, that somehow found class like the property when and style and quality when

the river borough having to six down Shannon, the longest and recover when they real-waterway in the British ized that there were six Murillos in the dining room alone and that there also seemed to be a Goya or a

Irish farmers seem to have gained from membership of the European Community.

Then there is the castle of Glin. like something out of a fairy tale, where the Knight

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Festivals are an established tradition

John Higgins comments, con brio, upon Lodge Hotel, which has one over every theatre in Dublin, of the best kitchens in the and several buildings nor-the events of the year from Dublin's twen-land. There is a fine view mally used for other purtieth-century music in January to Wexfrom the restaurant over the poses.
from the restaurant over the poses.
grey slate roofs of the city At the moment 30 productouched by a little smoke tions are promised for this drifting down across the year, of which seven are harbour. A true taste of claimed as world premieres.

Orchestra, devoted annually handed over the administrational Irish music and entertainment for four days. Those Strauss family, have scarcely still lives within a few minfaded when, 1,000 miles utes' walk of the Theatre away, Dublin is warming up Royal in a house crammed with sounds of a rather with scores and operatic deferent kind for its Festimenorabilia.

The new director Adrian is devoted entirely to tradidate of the tradidate of the tion some time ago, but he trainment for four days. Those under the instance of the tradidate of the tradid

ommittee has refused to different kind) earlier in the its crock of gold. pander to popular taste in year, which puts in a strong the eight years' life of the challenge to be the most enfestival and has insisted on joyable of the Irish days of giving native composers a merry-making: co Kerry's

before going off for a night-cap in one of the Main Screet bars, it is clear that

late Sir Compton Mackenzie Brandon is the best.

came to the seaport to give In the next county the one of his record recitals, annual Cork Film Festival At the end of the evening often seems to be under one of the audience plain-financial threat, but this tively remarked that it was year it is "definitely on" all very well listening to the and runs from June 7 to 14. singers, but when would There are regular battles there be a chance of seeing with the Irish censor over them? "Create your own what may and may not be opportunity", was the crisp screened, but visiting critics reoly of Monty Mackenzie, disappointed by cancellations.

January 3 was the starting dition of staging operas many of the prizes are date this year and some com- which are known more by awarded to the invading majorettes, urged on by indulgence was brought to formance. This year's trio

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Farther porth in Castelbar received awarded to the invading majorettes, urged on by indulgence was brought to formance. This year's trio planed that furnio-the-year their reputation than herical period, but visitors are able to come away with a certification of their contract of the contract of

hearing. Most Irishmen agree that the last shall be first. And the last shall be first. And the last is the Wexford but they will probably with festival, which this year runs from October 22 to November 2. For a couple of decades Wexford has been the best attended (in terms of the percentage of seats sold) and the best organized of the country's festivals. When the audience links arms at the end of the closing Sunday night performance for "Auld Lang Syne", before going off for a night-Rose of Tralee International The streets of Tralee are

crammed with musicians who tend to be rather better Street bars, it is clear that winter is almost upon us. The leaves are off the trees, probably blown away by one of the gales which rush up the south-east coast during the 10 days of opera. But if winter has to come, then a removed from the image visit to Wexford is one of which Count John McCorthe hest ways of approach. the best ways of approaching it.

The beginnings almost 30 the choice of hotels is not the choice of hotels in the choice of hotels is not the choice of hotels in the choice of hotels is not the choice of hotels in the choice years ago were simple. The outstanding but the Mount late Sir Compton Mackenzie Brandon is the best.

of Monty Mackenzie, disappointed by cancellations do yourself a festival." can find consolation in the disease of the Arbutus

And so in autumn to the capital and the biggest event -the Dublin Theatre Festival-perhaps stopping off in Galway where the oyster season is celebrated in early October by a ceremonial moliuse opening at Paddy Western World with music Burke's well-known estab by The Chiefrains, who will lishment in Clarinbridge be at Sadler's Wells to sup-Burke's well-known estab-From September 29 until October 18 the festival takes 4-8).

Ireland usually has the distinction of opening and closured ing the European festivals most of the town's children have made their way a forty year. The strains of the New before he gave birth to a Year's morning concert by festival. Dr Tom, as he is the Vienua Philharmonic known to the whole town, the vienua Philharmonic known to the whole town, the vienua Philharmonic known to the administra-

sounds of a rather with scores and special nave nothing to complete or at least some of at

austerities and obscurities. and Men, based on the John But for those who wished to Steinbeck novella and venture less far into contemporary music there were miere. Wexford hes come a Shostakovich and Prokofiev. long way since it performed Performance levels tend Balfe's The Rose of Castille In to note who is scheduled to play, but the ford audience go to a celetwentieth-century music tally on a rose (of a rather committee has refused to different kind) earlier in the condition of the surface of the state of the next six weeks, Londoners can get their own taste of Irecate saying that they completed the course. There is from their homes. The London Festival of the Irish Berger Paints. One of the locals dubbed the festival almost 50 venues—from Action Space through the local services of gold.

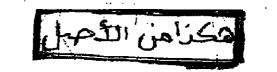
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the dancers (March



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immigration.

Population Censuses and Surveys,

should improve and enlarge the official information available on

(3) "The Government should give

priority to their consideration of

British nationality law, with a view to publish a White Paper on their

proposals."

Bearing in mind that the address

of each household is entered on the

questionnaire, it becomes evident why there is such fear and resultant

resentment. It is rather easy to extract a mass of racial data from

these question thus making it un-necessary to include an additional ethnic question.

If, however there is a genuine desire to measure the soveral dif-

ferent ethnic groups resident in the UK on Census day, the five objec-

tionable questions should be com-

pletely dropped and replaced by a straightforward question asking to what ethnic or cultural group the respondent belongs.

Such a question has been readily

accepted in other countries. I am convinced there would be minimal opposition, if any at all, if this request was fully met along with

concrete guarantees of confiden-tiality being given through new

The poor response (54 per cent) of the Haringey test is indicative of what would happen in 1981 if

the Government does not positively

respond to the fears and demands of the ethnic minorities and those

in the white community, who are similarly and equally concerned. Yours faithfully, IEFF CRAWFORD,

Senior Community Relations

Haringey Community Relations

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Officer,

MR SIRS OFF SIDE

Undaunted by the superior sector in the public battle timidity of the House of Lords against the government attitude," the Court of Appeal perseveres in its determination to set limits to the scope of the immunities granted to trade unions by statute. By granting an injunction to restrain the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation from extending its strike to nonnationalized steel producers Lord Denning and his colleagues have unquestionably decided the issue according to its broad merits. There is at present no dispute between these private employers and the union. The strike call is to men who by and large do not want to hear it, against employers with whom the union has no quarrel. Its effect on profits and employment in the privately owned steel industry would be damaging. The damage it would do to manufacturing industry is wider still. It is a strike without merit or justification.

The ground on which the court granted the injunction was that the strike was probably unlawful because it was called not in furtherance of a trade dispute, which would have earned immunity, but in furtherance of a political dispute. The judges convicted Mr Bill Sirs out of his own mouth, so to speak. He had given notice to the Independent Steel Employers Association in these unguarded terms, "Whilst agreeing that there is no dispute with any independent steel employer [my executive council] were firmly of the opinion that this dispute is becoming politically stage-managed by the Conservative Government. . . . It is because of the political intervention that my executive council feel that we should now take the

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Perhaps by putting it like that Mr Sirs hoped to send the private steel producers to their friends in government to plead for a softer line. What he has actually done is allow the Court of Appeal to find that his union has embarked on a second, political dis-pute distinguishable from the first, trade dispute; and unlawful acts done in furtherance of a political dispute have no immunity at

Though not wholly blocking it,

the recent judgment of the House of Lords in the McShane case has weakened the argument of "remoteness" in its application to trade disputes. The argument has become less capable of supporting the equitable principle that people should not be deprived of the means of redress when they are embroiled by trade unions in disputes not of their making and to which they are in no sense parties. On the facts of the present case that principle would seem sufficient, in equity if not in law, to make the extension of the strike unlawful. By choosing a different ground, namely that it was a political dispute that the union was proposing to embark on, the Court of Appeal has injected another dose of uncertainty into the law of strikes.

All that is said about the union's objectives in extending the strike can be said equally about the strike proper. It too is aimed at winning some relaxation of the government's financial policy towards the Steel Corporation—the only hope, the unions are informed, of "more money on the table". Does it follow that action of involving the private the primary strike against BSC

has turned political too, having as its object coercion of the gov-Etdorent?

If not, what makes one political and not the other? Is it that in BSC the employer's ability to pay wages is ultimately determined by the government (so it is all right to coerce the covernment) and in the private sector of the steel industry it is not? Where in the legislation on the subject is the basis for that distinction to be found?

How are those unions whose numerous membership have their pay directly or indirectly determined by government policy to understand their position in the light of this judgment? Is their latitude to strike narrower than that of other unions? Or their freedom to elicit sympathetic action from other groups of workers?

What happens, should those times ever return, when the gov-ernment of the day has a fulleriment of the day has a full-blown incomes policy, which becomes a factor, perhaps the decisive factor, in most pay settlements in and out of the public sector? What meaning would "coercing the govern-ment" be given in that context?

This judgment of the Court of Appeal is most timely, not only for its merits, but because it obliges the Government to reconsider the Bill it now has before Parliament and convert it into a piece of legislation which deals comprehensively with industrial disputes and the scope of immunities in connexion with them. To the unbalance of the present law must now be added its uncertainty. It should not be left to the courts to reform it. That is Parliament's

THE RETURN OF MR MUGABE

Mr Mugabe's opening election speech when he returned to Southern Rhodesia was addressed as much to whites as to blacks. As was widely foreseen, it was moderate in content and reassuring in tone. To the crowd yesterday he offered two vital things—peace and spoils. The war, he insists, is over; the past is to be forgotten; the wounds bound up. After Mr Nkomo's own speech Mr Mugabe could not speak very differently. The passionate will for normality and stability is chosen in the wass return of shown in the mass return of refugees to their homes before the ceaselire is converted from truce to peace. In this respect he now seems to stake almost everything upon electoral victory, even if some guerrillas are being kept in the bush in reserve to restart hostilities if the results

seem unacceptable to Zanu. The spoils he offers are a reformed opportunitarian society with jobs, land and power at conversion to African collectives every level going progressively —possibly on the not very proto the blacks. The Marxist mising Tanzanian precedent.

society in which he personally

To the whites he said that the believes has no electoral appeal. Perhaps many in Rhodesia as Mugabe certainly that African Marxist know, knows. ere characterized by poverty, hunger, tyranny and want. It is for this reason that want. It is for this reason that in black states—if wielded by President Machel of Mozambique Cubans or other ideological

The end of the

Mr Callaghan

Mr James Callaghan, a man who has his proper share of pride or even wanty, must not take it hard if Labour politicians do not conceal the imparience with which they await the announcement of his retirement from the party leadership, or if some of them cabal to grease the Disraelian pole he managed at last to climb to the top.

In March after all, he will be

68, and if Mrs Thancher goes to the

country on the new electoral register in spring, 1984, as she well might, he would be rising 72. He

has reastred the point where more

than 50 years' experience in the trade union and Labour movement must be reckoned a rapidly dimini-

shing asset. The only service now

in his power to give is to go with grace. Elder statesmanship on the back benches and the sweet pleasures of the Sussex farm

Until last week he had a more

than plausible excuse to stay in post. He gione stood a chance of heading off the left-dominated national executive committee from

a set of party constitutional deci-

sions removing the election of party

leader from the Parhamentary

Labour Party denying the party leader the effectual control of election manifestoes, and making

every Labour MP the puppet of his

constituency management commit-tee under threat of a new readop-

Mr Callaghan's strongest gifts

have always had to do with party management, yet last Wednesday he

narrowly failed, even with the help of moderate leaders of the Trade Unionists for Labour Victory, to get

a better balance of forces in the

commission that will inquire into party constitutional reform and

report by early summer. The com-

mission stays stacked with a left-

wing majority. Nobody may now

David Wood

road for

wants a return to the productive normality of Rhodesia: he needs its traditional food surplus.

Many blacks want the whites to stay, provided they stay as employers and patrons, rather than as a caste of masters. Black majority feeling is for a traditional society with high employment, good wages, open promotion and more land. Land is here the key. Eventually nothing can satisfy African land-hunger but virtually all European land. But there is no desire for collectivized farms, so Mr Mugabe bas wisely decided to find land for resettlement—there is a good deal-without undertaking to destroy immediately the core of the white agrarian economy. He may well be torn between a nationalist prediliction to give land back to the blacks on tradi-Marxist line of conveniently nationalizing white latifundia for -possibly on the not very pro-

To the whites he said that they would have their share in a mixed economy. He rejected a white exodus. How sincere he is time alone can show. It has been freely said that Mr Mugabe is alert to the value of white skills

reasonably doubt what its report will propose. Labour constituency moderates have lost. Moderate

Labour trade union leaders have lost. Most members of the Parlia-

mentary Labour Party have lost. There is no further court of appeal

terms with left-wing rivals.

If Mr Callaghan put down the

nantle of leadership soon, the Parliamentary Labour Parry could quickly reelect a new leader, and he would present himself to the autumn

party conference as the sitting tenant. It is an odd thing about the

Lebour Party that, unlike the Con-servative Party, they are poor hands at the butchery of any established leader, with the woolly-minded but

worthy George Lansbury as a pos-

sible exception.
A new Labour leader elected soon

by the PLP, which sull has a fading moderate majority, would at least survive through the next two general elections. Mr Callaghan cannot

plausibly survive until 1983 or 1984.

No more needs to be said. If Mr Callaghan wants to schieve his unmistakeable objective, he should

Allow me to say that until now I have offered no thoughts on the

internal constitutional dispute within

the Labour Party, partly because

I have lived as a reporter through

too many of their silly end self-destructive internal quartels, partly because in practice the Labour

Party is never quite so stupid as its own publicity. Eur there remain

one or two mersions that have to do with the United Kingdom Con-stitution if the Labour Party's

constitutional reforms were to go

Let us assume that the proposal

to take the election of norty leader out of the hands of the PLP nesses.

The party conference, say, imposes

on the Lehour Party one of its

cheriched left vinners as leader.

who happens to be prable to com-

mand and sustain the support of the

go out without delay.

through.

allies. He may have noticed, however, the immense importance of specifically ex-British white skills in Zambia, a less complex economy than Zimbabwe will inherit. As far as they go, his words fit the British Government's long term objective of keeping the white settlement money in the service of a moderately-led Zimbabwe.

In so far as Mr Mugabe's speech recognizes the realities of Rhodesia it is to be welcomed. His own uncertainties may be revealed in his attacks on the Governor for favouring Bishop Muzorewa's party. If Britain ever favoured the Bishop its pressure upon him at Lancaster House should suggest that this is no longer Whitehall policy. The Bishop lost most at Lancaster tional tenures and the correct House, and has gone on losing. Mr Nkomo, on the other hand,

has made a big comeback. Mr Mugabe, already soliciting an alliance with the white group in parliament, appears to foresee that he may not emerge as the largest party, and that he will be able to wield power only in coalition. To make overtures to the whites looks like a concession to the enormous influence that rival tribal loyalties are exerting in this election and must continue to do so after it.

Queen, after taking soundings, must send for one or more Labour leaders and ask if they are prepared to form a government. A Labour Party conference could easily be quickly called to produce a name of some

except the party conference next autumn, and only a fool would build sort.

But then suppose that he or she hope on that.
Above all, Mr Callaghan has lost, and if he were to continue in the leadership with any authority at all leadership with any authority at all it was a battle that he had to win. He is now in the position where he cannot by managerial influence or resignation timing ensure the election of his preferred successor, and every day he stays on prolongs the frustration of moderate leadership candidates who need to declare the creatives and comments on equal stances many of us have lived through? themselves and compete on equal

conference decisions became as the left wants. Biblical writ? As Mr Reg Freeson, himself a left-winger, re-minds me, it has not been at all unusual for party conference decisions to be overturned from one year to another, or for contradictory resolutions to be passed by the same party conference. To quote: "In 1959, conference was against unilateral nuclear disarmament, in 1960 it was in favour, and in 1961 it was against". Labour debate continues after party conference decisions, not least among MPs who have responsibilities to the nation and their constituencies as well as to their party member-

conference repeatedly endorsed the Labour government's statutory in-corres nolicy, but some Labour MPs (the left-wingers now dominating the NEC) opposed every Prices and Incomes Bill introduced.... In 1978, incomes policy was rejected, but a motion urged joint action by goveroment and the trade union movement on low pay—that is, an in-comes policy". So writes Mr Reg

Freeson. In short, party conferences are day political decisions that must be treated as sacrosanct and mandatory upon a prime minister and his cabinet. They are not the whole of democracy, but only a party of ir; and Mr Wedgwood Benn and Mr Eric Heffer, as they glost over the defeat of Mr Callachan last week. I-now that perfectly well. Yet Mr Callachan is no loncer the man to continue a battle he has already lost.

PLP in the House of Commons. If he is prime minister the Labour government must either fall, or the

cannot command a majority in the PLP, or indeed cannot rely on the willingness of leading Labour figures to serve in the cabinet. What happens then? The Queen would presumably send for the Opposition leader. The Labour government would go out, and a coalition would temporarily come in. How on earth would that work in some circum-

And how would it work if party

Another quotation: "In 1958-70

weather wanes, not practical day-to-

The hunting of the Quango

From Mr David Hobman Sir. As a member of two Quangos

which have both been disbanded. I refuse to be made to feel guilty about being an expensive luxury or a usurper of Ministerial powers. Indeed, until I began to read that was a form of contemporary parasite. I was happily living in the mis-taken belief that I was actually giving a form of service to my country, often in my own time or that of my generous employer.

As a member of the Metrication Board, appointed by the present Chancellor of the Exchequer when he was responsible for Consumer Affairs, I was invited with others to tender advice on ways in which the transfer might best be achieved in the interests of everyone concerned.

It did not serve as an advocate for metrication, although it was in that context that the board was first attacked in a campaign to save the pint and the mile before the election when metric-bashing became an obviously popular cause to pursue.

The membership of the board comprised a number of distinguished comprised a number of distinguished leaders in agriculture, education, engineering, manufacturing and retailing apart from those of us more closely identified with consumers. Many represented interests closely associated with the Government. The fees which most members could have commanded as consultant would have been consider. sultants would have been considerably greater than anything received for services given through the Board and its specialist groups.

My other Quango, the Personal Social Services Council, paid norhing apart from travel and subsistence. abart from travel and subsistence. Here again, I felt honoured to be associated with a group of nron and women of distinction in their professions who gave most generously of their time. Many served on a number of working parties which made far greater claims than simply attending council meetings. We were, in effect, that frequently commended species on which the fulmended species on which the ful-filment of many current social policies denend: voluntary workers.

The Government may well have been right in believing there are too many Quangos. It is perfectly entitled to set no or close down any advisory bodies it wishes, and to appoint those people who seem most appropriate to serve as mem-

However, it is mistaken to pillory those men and women who have given service to the state by describing the destruction of their work as being virtuous. They may be wroted again one day. There is also the indecent haste with which some, at least, of the Quangos have been closed down. In the circumstances, the baby

often gets thrown out with the both otten gets thrown out with the beth water and as far as real economies are concerned, reduced expenditure of small above the line budgets can often be replaced by far higher alternative below the line costs which can more easily be lost from more immediate sight and which are actually less cost effective than the mechanisms they replace.

Yours etc, DAVID HOBMAN. Director, Age Concern England, 60 Pitcaira Mitcham, January 17.

The price of gas From Mr Harry Marsh

Sir, Mr Michael Posner writes (January 23) in favour of the proposal to increase gas prices and states that the answer to the problem of poor families' inability to pay is for Government to spend more on social services.

But what does Mr Posner mean But what does Mr Poster mean by "social services"? The usual provisions of local ambority depart-ments in the form of social workers and home helps are no substitute for a fuel subsidy. If Mr Poster equates "social services" with income maintenance then he must surely be aware that he is address-ing a Government which is allowing ing a Government which is allowing child benefits to be eroded by inflation, which is currently proposing to reform the social security
system on a "no cost" besis and
which has severely cut the fuel
subsidy scheme of the previous

Administration. In any event, selective subsidies for the poor have a stigmatising effect. The solution to the problem is a differential tariff which would allow all domestic consumers a quantity of cheaper gas and elec-tricity. Profligate users of energy can be charged considerably more when their allowance is exhausted and this would encourage conserva-

Finally, Mr Posner's suggestion that huge profits on gas can be readily redistributed by taking a penny off income tax rates will be of no help to the poorer consumers of ges who do not psy income tax. Yours faithfully. HARRY MARSH

Development Officer. Family Service Units, 207 Old Marylebone Road, NW1. January 23.

The Turner bequest

From Mr Humphrey Brooke

Sir, For over 70 years the housing of the Turner bequest at the Tate (report, January 22) should have offered no problem, since Sir J. J. Dursen (father of Lord Dursen) generously pave nine new galleries to the Tete for this specific purpose (the subsequent transfer to British Museum of all the 19,000 watercolours is a separate matter caused by the flooding of the Tate's basement in 1929).

Incidentally, much the best solution for Somerset House would be as a permanent home for Count Seilern's internationally renowned collection. With an appropriate admission charge this project should be self-supporting. It has been suggested by Lord Annan and others.

Yours, etc. HUMPHREY BROOKE, 8 Pelham Crescent, SW7.

January 20.

Ethnic questions in the 1981 Census (2) "The Home Secretary in consultation with other departments, and in particular the Office of

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From Mr Jeff Crawford Sir. Your rather excellent leading article (January 10) and subsequent letters only partly deal with the controversy surrounding the 1981 Census. The current debate is centred on one question, racial or ethnic origin. Those of us who live

ethnic origin. Those of us who live or work in Haringey found another five questions in the Haringey Test Census even more objectionable than the ethnic question.

These questions asked for, among other things, the year of entry in the United Kingdom; is the person naturalized or registered as a United Kingdom citizen; the name of the country which issued the passport on which the person last entered the United Kingdom; parents' country of birth, even if dead; address of place of work.

On February 24, 1979, a day-long seminar was jointly sponsored in Haringey by the Commission for Racial Equality, Haringey Community Relations Council, and the Office of Population Censuses and

office of Population Censuses and Surveys (OPCS). There was strong representation from the local Asian, Cypriot and West Indian communities.

It was decided to form a working party, which produced a well-received report on the Haringey questionnaire. The working party closely studied a number of related publications, which included the Government's White Paper on the Census, and the parliamentary select committee's report on race relations and immigration, session

questions, cited in the first para-graph of this letter, would be cor-related to a number of looming political decisions, such as immigra-tion controls and new nationality law. The select committee, session 1977-78, recommended that: (1) The Government should institute an independent inquiry to consider a system of internal controls of immigration;

Sir, I visited Chile in March, 1979, as solicitor for the family of William Beausire, a dual citizen of Britain and Chile last seen in a torture centre there in August.

1975. No explanation had been given for his disappearance by the

Chilean authorities but just before my visit the Supreme Court had appointed judges to investigate the

Beausire case as well as many hun-dreds of other disappearances. There were other signs that the military

Government was responding at last to international pressure for the restoration of human rights: the

magazine Oy and a broadcasting station critical of the Junta were

allowed to reopen and a group of democratic lawyers felt confident

enough to enter into public debate about proposals for a new constitu-

tion This relaxation did not of course

signify a change of heart: it simply

meant that the diplomatic and

economic sanctions were beginning to bite; the Junta was acknowledg-ing that Chile could not renew friendly relations with former allies

and trading partners unless human

rights were safeguarded and those responsible for the torture and mur-

Good relations with Critain are

much more valued in Chile than is generally realized here, and par-

ticularly by the leaders of the armed forces, several of whom were

trained in Britain. Leading Christian

Democrats, who are likely to be included in a future democratic

government in Chile, stressed to me

the vital importance of maintain-

ing sanctions from abroad, and the

der of innocent people

iustice.

Links with Chile

From Mr Geoffrey Bindman

We are convinced that the five

absence of the British Ambassador was one of the most important of

Sadly, since last May there has already been a noticeable reversion to earlier more repressive policies. The publication of Oy was suspended by decree of the Junta without warning. There has been a fresh spate of arrests by the security police and there is evidence of new tortures. It is far from fanciful to suppose that the election of a Tory government raised hopes that the ambassador would be re-turned, and now that his return has been amounced the prospects for human rights in Chile can only be worse.

The Minister of State, Mr Nicholas Ridley, MP, has explicitly denied that the decision to restore the ambassador has anything to do with the improvement of trade. The only reason he gave for the decision, according to your parliamentary report, was so that "we may present our views on human rights and other matters at a higher level

with greater impact."

This is unconvincing. The embassy functions without the ambassador and the charge d'affaires, Mr Eric Anglin, took me to see the Minister of Justice at short notice and apparently without difficulty.

believes in the effectiveness of a boycott against the Soviet Union, It is irrational and wrong to lift the effective boycott of Chile before it has achieved its object, for the tor-ture and disappearance of William Beausire remain unexplained and unounished. Yours faithfully,

GEOFFREY BINDMAN. 1 Euston Road, NW1.

Saving the Large Blue From Mr John Lodge

Sir. The letter written by Mr Robin Crane (January 10), concerning my article—"The secret flight of the Large Blue" (December 22) was shown to me on return from a wildlife adventure expedition with our

young members to Hampshire's his-torical New Forest.

It is sometimes said that conservation is not a subject for amateur dabbling, but my own scientific studies and research concerning the Large Blue butterfly, has only con-firmed a belief in the importance of those with an interest which may be likened to that of the Reverend Gilbert White of Selborne.

I feel bound to say that I saw every reason why the substance of my work and information gained should not be divulged to either the Large Blue Committee or anyone else outside the British Wildlife Society-Wilderplors, an organization which I founded at Oxford, 14 years ago, The demise of maculinea arion in parts of Devon and Cornwall (a renort which I still find hard to believe) only confirmed the view that the stand I had taken in the matter, was the correct one.

The conservation regarding this particular insect do not require a small army of people from the Large Blue Committee or the Nature Con-servancy, to look after it. The butterfly is of slow flight, extremely sensitive and easily frightened. We snould surely rejoice that in at least one part of the British Isles (the Cotswolds), this beautiful creature is now making a dramatic comeback and, may I suggest (with a due sense of humility), that this

is because of the quiet approach and unceasing work of a naturalist, who believed it to be his duty to save the Large Blue butterfly for future generations, as part of their God-given heritage, that unique tapestry of wildlife.

In the future, leading scientists.

conservationists and people every-where, may be only too thankful that a British naturalist thought it necessary to work alone to save his country's much-loved butterfly. I also made the effort for this and other creatures of the wild because a youngster said—"I can't do much for the Large Blue butterfly, but if I'd been grown up . . . so why don't Zon;

As I looked briefly into those eyes of a child, I knew that I had to fight and fight again, not only to save the Large Blue, but everything that is the call of the wild. The promise I then made, has been kept; and this year I shall watch once more Britain's rarest butterfly takeoff on its majestic flight across the Coswold Hills.

Finally, my work for the Large Blue butterfly, has not cost anyone a single penny, but the Society is anxious to obtain further butterfly equipment, books etc., for our continued excellent in the science and rinued studies in the science and conservation of British lepidoptera and other forms of wildlife. Yours faithfully,

JOHN LODGE, Founder. The British Wildlife Society, Wilderplors, Tarka, London Road, Maldon, Essex.

January 21.

the Royal Society, published in the Oxford Review of Education, 1978; Economic decline

From Professor Lord Kaldor, FBA Sir, If Professor Hutchison (January 18) really believes that the Trade Union Acts of 1871 and 1875 were mainly responsible for Bri-tain's relative decline in the latter part of the 19th Century, he cannot be familiar with the extensive literature on the subject. I would par-ticularly recommend to his attention Professor Alderofe's seminal paper. The Entrepreneur and the British Economy, 1870-1914, which appeared in the August 1964 issue of the Economic History Review; to Professor David Landes' monu-

mental study in Vol VI of The Cam-

bridge Economic History of Europe (now republished under the title The Unbound Prometheus; m Pro-

fassor G. C. Allen's The British

Disease (1976); to Professor Margaret Gowing's Wilkins lecture to

and to Professor Roderick's Education and Industry in the Nineteenth Century published last year. All these attribute our decline mainly to the limited technical competence and extreme conservatism of British industrial management. Incidentally, Lord Balogh and Mr

Opie (letter, January 15) were mistaken in placing the beginning of Britain's relative economic decline in the 1880s According to Professor Landes, the beginning should be put in the 1850s and 1860s; and according to Professor Gowing, by the time of the Great Paris Exhibition of 1867, Britain appeared prominent in "scarcely a dozen" out of the 90 classes at the Exhibition. Yours faithfully, NICHOLAS KALDOR. King's College,

How Eisenhower viewed Churchill

From Mr Anthony Scidon
Sir, The headline treatment given to the "revelations" from the Eisenhower papers (January 26) gives an entirely misleading impression of Eisenhower's relationship with Churchill, and of the Anglo-American relationship during 1951-55. It is just not good enough to quote passages at random which, incidentally, come from Eisenhower's diary, not memoranda, and which have been accessible to

scholars for some time. Eisenhower felt that Churchill should retire: this is certainly true. but he was at all times devoted to him, and treated him with great respect, Indeed, Eisenhower's staff were frequently concerned lest Churchill's great influence over him should persuade the President to adopt a course of action against his better judgment.

The article greatly exaggerates the extent to which Eisenhower's opinion of Churchill adversely affected relations between Britain and the United States. There were, of course, differences between the two countries, as over nuestions of colonialism, and on policy towards the Far East; but the bond remained deep, and of great value moth nations during Churchill's last years as Prime Minister.

Yours faithfully, ANTHONY SELDON, 3c Morpeth Terrace, SW1. January 26.

Invasion of Afghanistan

From Mr David Steavenson

Sir, I am surprised to read in Robert Fisk's Afghanistan Diary today (January 23) the reference to "G. A. Henry's grotesquely partial accounts of the Anglo-Afghan wars that misled us all ".

I can only conclude that Robert Fisk has not read either For Name and Fame or To Herat and Cabul. and Fame or To Herat and Cabul. Certainly the books are written from British eyes; however, fre-quent tributes to the Afghans are

Considering that they were written before 1900 for schoolboys, the absence of jingoism is remarkable. For example, in the preface to the account of the 1842 wer: "Of all the wars in which our troops have taken part never was one entered upon so recklessly or so unjustifiably"; and on the Roberts expedition: "It is true that we have warred with and beaten we have warred with and beaten them, but our retirement after victory has at least shown them that we have no desire to take their country; while, on the other hand, they know that for those races upon whom Russia has once laid her hand there is no escape."

Readers will find Henty's accounts of the Afghans more relevant to today's events than Mr

Fisk's tales of kites and zoos.
Russia has demonstrated once again the peril in ignoring the lessons of history which Henty was preeminant in writing for the Victorian schoolboy.

Yours faithfully, DAVID STEAVENSON, 20 Upper Philimore Gardens, W8. January 23.

Poll apart

From Mr. Jacques Arnold

Sir, The ORC poil you commis-sioned on the voters' mood (report, January 17) fell into the elementary January 17) fell into the elementary trep of phrasing a major question in such a way as to provoke the answer you wished to hear. You asked whether a party should gain seats in proportion to the votes it receives. Surprisingly, even such a self evident question only obtained affirmative replies from 72 per cent of the respondents.
Had you asked the respondents

whether they gave importance to regional variations, candidates' per-sonal votes and local representation, you would no doubt have also received affirmative replies.

However these attributes of our present system would be sacrificed for the brutal arithmetic of proportional representation systems.

The two questions would bring

contradictory replies. As would the affirmative to the mythical questions as to whether respondents are for cuts in taxes, and for increased welfare spending by government.
The only overwhelming conclusions one can draw from the poll is that the electorate prefers no centre party to any particular form of one. ir would not abandon its major party allegiances for one, nor for the Liberals, and it would not like to see the Labour Party break up. . Nevertheless it is concerned at the leftward burch of the Labour Party, and the trade union power therein.

Your poll strongly suggests that public disquiet is not so much with the present party and electoral system, as with the Labour Party internal politics. It is a judgment on the intellectual bankruptcy and spineless acquiescence Labour moderates in the Yours faithfully,

JACOUES ARNOLD. Hawkhurst,

Herne Road, Oundle, Northampronshire. January 21.

Various tendencies From Mrs Nancy Irwin

Sir, Has The Times been infiltrated by Militant? Your current stories of "Trotskyist infiltration" are scarcely the acme of investigative journalism, for they appear simply to reprint wodges of Militant self-congratulation. Obviously, Militant handouts have to say Militant is successful or their members would not keep handing over money.

The reality is somewhat different

in Labour Parties of my experience : although Militant supporters are not, admittedly, quite so lazy as those of the extreme right wing, the main "Militant tendency" I have noticed is absence when there is work to be done, a technique unlikely to lead to office in the Labour Party, let alone control. Yours faithfully,

NANCY IRWIN. 11 Chisholm Road.

Craydon. January 17.



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SANDRINGHAM January 27: Divine Service was held in Sandringham Church this

morning.
The sermon was preached by the Archdeacon of Norfolk.
Mr Robert Hamilton had the honour of being received by The Queen when Her Majesty decorated him with the Royal Victorian Medal (Silver).

Rirthdays today

Major-General W. A. F. L. Fox-Pitt, 84; Professor Lucy Mair, 79; Mr Arthur Rubinstein, 93; Lord Windlesham, 48.

Today's engagements

Exhibitions: The Last Train down from Edinburgh, to mark the centenary of the Tay Bridge disaster on December 28, 1879: Scottish Record Office. West Register House, Charlotte Square. Edinburgh, 10-4. Photography is distributed by the Charlotte Square. Edinburgh, 10-4. Photography is distributed by the Charlotte Square. Gresham Lecture : What do we

know about Jesus of Nazareth? Professor G. N. Stanton, City University, Northampton Square,

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Lectures: Assyrian reliefs: Sennacherib. Dominique Collon,
British Museum. 11.30; Beginnings of English abstraction.
Ann Slee, Tate Gallery. 1;
Walk: Sweeney Todd, Demon
barber of Ficet Street, meet
Temple station, 7.30.

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House of Lords

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Jan 24: Satement on Rhodesla. New Hebrides Bill and Competition Bill both read a first, thinc. Debates on Safety Representation of the People Bill read in Afchaniston.

Police Negotiating Board Bill passed the report stage. Representation of the People Bill read the third time and passed. Provinction of Trading Interests Bill read a second time. House adjourned, 6.29 p.m.

Parliamentary notices

House of Commons
Today at 2.56: Debate on East-West
relations and the crisis in South-West ASIA: Tomorrow at 2.30: Debate on gas rrices. Timetable modion on Education No 2: Bill. Second reading of Residential Homes Bill and proceedings on United Care Bill, and Foster Children Bill. all Consolidation. Motion on Income Tax (Execus Interest and Distributions) Order. butions) Order in the state and Distributions of Order in Charsday at 2.30: National Heritage Still, remaining stages, Motions relating to Provision of Milk and Meals (Amendment) (No 2! Regulations and Milk and Meals (Education) (Scotland: Regulations) Debate on seventh report of Royal Commission on Enturumental Pollution relating to agriculture and pollution.

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Select committees
Today: Home Affairs Committee. Sublect: The law retains to public order, woccssions and public meetings. Witnesses: Home Office. Room 2, 4.30 pm.
tree. Subject: Efficiency Ire to the public order. Witnesses: Paul Channel Service. Witnesses: Paul Channel Service. Witnesses: Paul Channel Sinister for the Civil Service. Room 15, 5.45 pm.
treednesday: Foreign Affairs Committee. Subject: FOO preprisation. Witnesses. Foreign and Commonwealth Office. Room 15, 10.50 am.
Industry and Trade Committee. Witness: Str William Barlow. Chaltman of the Post Office. Room 16, 10.45
Bublick: Accounts Committee. Subject. Public Accounts Committee, Subject: pocklaking procedures at MOD Depots, linesses: Ministry of Detence. Room by 4 pm. Winesses: Ministry of Defence. Room 10, 4 pm.
Energy Committee. Subject: The Coveriment's statement on the New Nuclear Power Programme. Witness David Howell. Secretary of State for Intergy, Room 8, 4,50.

Social Services Committee. Subject: Perinatal and Neonatal Mortality. Witnesses: Medical Research Congell: Professor K. W. Couse; Professor E. M. Symonds, Room 6, 4,50.

Thursday: Aggletitude Committee. Subject: Economic, social and health implications for the UK of the Common Assicultural Policy of the Common Assicultural Policy of the Common Facility of the Common House of Lords

rioducts. Room 16, 11 am.
House of Lords
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second reading. InMARSAT (ImmuniLes and Privileges) Order.
Tomorrow at 2.50: Reserve Forcas Bill
Consolidation; third reading. Criminal
Justice: Scoiland Bill. committee.
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electricity prices. Dobate on dairfuetion and sale of reading terese and
spectacle frames.
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Bill. third reading. European Communities Defination, of Treaties, (Multilateral Trede Negotiations) Order.
Debate on metrication.

Select committees Nednesday: European Communities sub-committee D (Food and Agriculture) Subject: CAP. Wimessee. Similary of Agriculture. Subcommittee B (Air farms. Sub-lect: European air farms. Winessee. British Caledonian Aways.

St Paul text illumines Dr Coggan's valedictory sermon

To mark the retirement of mon as archbishop, delivered in Canterbury Cathedral at a farewell Eucharist service on Friday evening. The usual religious feature will be resumed next Monday.

Philippians 3,10: That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings.

January 25 will always be January 25 will always be for me a day of very special significance. It was on this day, 24 years ago, that I was consecrated a bishop in the Church of God. It was a bitterly cold day, but York Minster, snow-covered without, was full of light and joy, and of people within people, within

It was the day on which, in 1975, after installation here on the 24th, a great service was held in Westminster Abbey to welcome and to commend to he losses his temper; some-God the one who the previous times he is obscure; often he month had been made Archbishop of Canterbury.

It is the day on which, by the kindness of the Dean and Chapter, I am allowed to say "goodbye", in the context of the Eucharist, to the diocese which I have loved and tried to serve, and which I shall always hold in deepest affect.

It is the day on which, by bittons of his day. Yes, he is human, all right. And then he takes wings and soars, and as we little people try to follow his flight we get dazzled to serve, and which I shall ing straight into the sun.

The greatness of St Paul lies

make this day a particularly ter, in the here and now and meaningful one for me. But in the long vistas of eternity, there is a deeper reason for Let me illustrate. its special significance. It is, as every churchman knows, the "Is it possible for a man, sin-day on which we celebrate the ful as he is, to be right with

St Paul has, since my boyhood been allowed to enter the views on matters of sex, race, laim is days, been a figure of towering sphere of God's grace, where force, eugenics. To live as death.

eye an imperious figure beckening. Those writings of his are not to be read as it were at arm's length, with an air af detachment. If they are rests. There he abides. so read, they lose their main point—it is blunted, and they become part of the great holy?", there is no doubt literature of the Greco-Roman about his answer. He roots it is the years authore of Great feet.

world and nothing more. No: behind those writings is a man of massive mind, who dares to reach out into the infinite, to wrestle with the immensities of divine revelation, to speak of predestination, of sin and shame, grace and redemption, of God's love and call, of a Holy Spirit's energies, and of a Church's birth, growth and mission.

Here is a man built on a big scale. He has all the marks of the human about him—now and again he brags; sometimes shows how conditioned he is by the thought-forms and inhi-bitions of his day. Yes, he is human, all right. And then he

The greatness of St Paul lies in this: that he compels us to These events alone would face the things that really mar-If we ask him, for example:

we now stand" (Romans 5, 1- "children of the light" is to the shifting sands of his own labours or merits, but the unshakable rock of God's character and work. There he

Further, if we ask him: "Is it possible for a man to be holy?", there is no doubt about his answer. He roots it in the very purpose of God for humanity. "He ordained", so St. Paul affirms, that we "should be shaped to the likeness of his son" (Romans 20) that we chould "charming the state of the state o eness of his son" (Romans 8,29), that we should "share in the life of his son" (1 Cor 1,9). Nor is this some vague possibility for the hereafter. At work in the life of the Church and in the heart of the Christian is the power of the Holy Spirit, making the seemingly impossible a thing open to us all—boliness, likeness to Jesus.

We ask again: "Does belief really matter?" All St Paul's writings combine to assert that creed and conduct go together. The very shape of his letters—first doctrine and then ethnics—points to the importance of basic belief, and that not merely in the sense of a series of propositions but of hard thinking worked out in daily commitment, prayer and worship. It is a strenuous and demanding recipe, but it is the only logical response to the God who has given us his all

in Christ. This insistence on the relevance of a Christian belief to his conduct is the final "no" to any suggestion that religion day on which we celebrate the conversion of St Paul. There is God, holy and just as he is? can be in one waterlight common other Nov Testament figure Can we look into the face of partment and life in another; whose conversion is thus commonated—St Paul stands alone in this regard.

For me, if I may be allowed at peace with God through our out; that a man's faith does to continue on a personal note.

Lord Jesus Christ. We have not affect his politics or his continue on a personal note.

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the Archbishop of Canterbury, I say "commanding" because 2). There is no doubt about let that light shine in the very faith, for he has a gospel Dr Donald Coggan, we print one cannot read his writings the ground upon which the darkest and most problem which he sees to be adequate below the text of his final serwithout seeing in one's mind's Apostle takes his stand—not ridden corners of a very dark for all the world, for all time, and perplexing world.

Or, once again, we ask him:
"Is not it possible for a man to be a good Christian but not to associate himself in any meaningful way with the life of the Church?" There can be no doubt about the Apostle's answer. The Church is the body of Christ of which he is the head. The Church is the building of which Christ is the foundation and Christians are constituent stones.

Indeed, it may well be that St Paul's insistence on the con-trality of baptism and Holy Communion, on participation in the life and witness of the Church, began when he, as a violent opponent of the Church, found himself persecuting Christ—"Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?".

"Touch my disciples and you touch me—head and body are one." Sinful and maddening as the Church may be at times, divided as it indicated in it. divided as it undoubtedly is, it is yet the body of Christ, the body through which in infinite mercy, he wills to bestow his grace and do his regenerating work.

I speak of this man and of fulfilling God's purpose for it and through it when it grasps

Here is a man catholic in his under all condicions; a mes-sage centred firmly in certain facts in recent history, made contemporary by the interpreter-spirit, mediated by the word and sacraments, committed to and guarded by the Church as

its most sacred treasure. Here is a man charismatic, gloriously charismatic, in that he is open to receive and con-stantly to be renewed by the gifts of the spirit-love, joy, peace. self-control.

peace. self-control.

Here in this man, small of stature, towering in faith, are the essentials of a message which never changes from age to age. May the Anglican Communion, and in particular the Church of England, ever be true to this gospel, faithful as I believe it to be to the teaching of Jesus himself. May the Cierzy, readers and teaching of jesus himself. May
the clergy, readers and
teachers of this diocese
expound it with clarity and
joy. May the people of this
laind, this county, this city,
heed it and live by it, for it is
the way of health and who

leness and holiness.

Just before St Paul bade farewell to the leaders of the Church at Ephesus, his friend Luke records that he said to his message, in this my last them: "Keep watch over yoursermon as your Archbishop, serves and over all the flock of
because I believe that our which the Holy Spirit has
Church will only be great in given you charge, as shepherds which the Holy Spirit has given you charge, as shepherds of the Church of the Lord, which he has won for himself

had nearest to his heart.
For here is a man Evangelical in the true sense of that word—he has a message, the massage of good news control. God's great acts in Christ, commend you to God and to in his death and resurrection, his gracious word which has a message which he must proc- power to build you up and views on matters of sex, race, laim in life and if need be in give you your beritage among force, eugenics. To live as death.

OBITUARY.

PROF H. H. PLASKETT Major work in astronomy

Professor H. H. Plaskett, FRS, who died on January 26, at the age of 86, was a distinguished astronomer who was Savillian Professor of Astronomy 21 Oxford from 1932 to 1960.

Harry Hemley Plaskett was horn in Toronto on July 5, 1393. His father, Dr John Stanley Plaskett, FRS, was a famous Canadian astronomer. from 1917-35, Director of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at Victoria, BC. H. H. Plaskett was educated at Ottawa and Foronto University, and he served in the Canadian Field Army in Flanders, 1917-18. It was in the first month of peace that he became known to astronomers and physicists in this country when he worked at South Kensington with Pro-fessor Alfred Fowler, FRS. On his return to Canada in 1919, he was appointed astronomer in his father's observatory. These were the early days of

Saha's ionization theory of stel-lar spectra, and in a brilliant memoir Plaskett applied the theory to the hottest and most massive 0-type stars. This work was fundamental and far reaching in its influence, and showed the fine combination of theo-retical insight and observa-tional skill which characterized all his work. It was during this time that he developed his exact spectrophotometric techniques which have now become classical. In 1928 Plaskett became Professor of Astrophysics at Harvard while Shapley was Director of the Harvard College Observatory. His outstanding work there was on the formation of solar absorption lines as typified by a triplet of magne-sium lines; he showed how his very careful observations of line contours could be used to evaluate the temperature gradient and the absorption and scarrering coefficients in the solar atmosphere.

On the death of Professor H. H. Turner, F.R.S., H. H. Plaskett was appointed in 1932 to the Savilian Chair of Astro-nomy at Oxford and became a Fellow of New College. In a versity Observatory based on his conviction that Oxford at any rate could make the best contribution to Astrophysics by a concentrated study of the sun, a typical star for which our observational opportunities are unique. In this faith he worked for the next 28 years and when he retired in 1960 he had built several substantial sequences of investigations were pursued at the Oxford Observatory, all inspired by his profound insight into the problems of solar physics and encouraged by his personal example of care and devotion in his own projects. Although he most gener-ously suggested and very often directed work on a variety of solar topics he believed in indi-vidual responsibility for "problems", rather than team work in the more usual sense. Plaskett always described himself as an observational astro-

Until his death in 1948 the part in University life and was late Professor Milne, FRS for a time a member of the brought a rich store of theo- Hebdomadal Council. He was retical interest to the Observa-tory, and later Dr Bushridge's and expressed himself forcibly, work in radioative transfer con-tinued this tradition. From 1956 Plaskett encouraged the de-valogment of purely laboratory velopment of purely laboratory force and diffidence made a physics at the Observatory to work on problems of astrophysical interest, and W. R. Hind- Edith Alice, daughter of John

of telescope design and in col-laboration with Mr Sisson of Grubb Parsons two nomble solar telescopes were erected at Oxford. The first in 1935 was a Cassegrain tower telescope of 19 metres focal length; it was fed by a coelostat and secon dary mirror, and was associated with a 30ft. spectograph. The second solar relescope erected in 1954 was an ordinary Cassograin reflector used at the coudé focus where it gave a solar image of 32 cm diameter. This telescope fed a 40ft, spectrograph. His interests in this direction and belief in the value of observational work, even in the British climate, were again shown when, as President of the Royal Astronomical Society (1945-47), he originally suggested that Britain should have a 100in telescope for the use of all British Astronomers. This suggestion was adopted and finally resul-ted in the Isaac Newton 2.5 metre reflector telescope erected in 1967 at the Royal Greenwich Observatory at Herstmonceux. His own use of the new telescope at Oxford was delayed until his return to the Observatory after the Second World War during which he served as an R.A. Officer and later was engaged on instru-mental and other work at an RAF research station.

Plaskett had a fine knowledge

During his Oxford days Plaskett continued his work on absorption line profiles and their interpretation and initiated investigations on motions in the sun at the photospheric level. This proved an extremely fruitful branch of solar research and he and his pupils and col-leagues produced an important series of papers on this subject. He also suggested and assisted with work on solar interfero-metry, wavelength measurements, chromospheric spectra and investigations of sunspot magnetic and velocity fields. In all his work he opened up new lines of thought in solar prob-lems which were pursued in his own and in other observatories. He had been elected a Fellow

of the Royal Society in 1936. magnificent inaugural lecture He was made Professor Emeri-he indicated his plans for the future work of the Oxford Uni-Plaskett was to some extent He was made Professor Emeriworking in a period when it was not easy to attract research students to the astronomy as a subject, but he nevertheless succeeded in doing this and many present day astronomers owe a great debt to him for all would testify to his extreme ments for solar physics in the world. Under his leadership several substantial second. work; perhaps most particu-larly his genius for finding the seeds of success in the most unpromising set of results. He always refused to publish the resulting papers as joint work. as, in a great many cases, hewould have been amply justi-fied in doing. His standards were very high and many of his students had their early efforts at authorship returned to them again and again, but his criticisms were always construc-tive and he never withdrew his

help. H. H. Plaskett was an exnomer, but he was also a most tremely modest man and competent and enlightened avoided all popular publicity, theoretician and had an unerr-but his advice was widely sought theoretician and had an unerr-but his advice was widely soughting sense of fruitful lines of both in this country and abroad. He played an important

marsh led a small group of James Smith of Ottawa. They physicists at the Observatory.

Scots win bridge contest strongest field ever asembled for this event, which included 10 world champions. By Our Bridge Correspondent Barnet Shoukin, a winner in 1976, and Victor Goldberg, both of Final results: Glasgow, one of the two British 1. Shenkin and Goldberg (Great Britain: 557: 2. Moellar and Werdelin (Denmark). 527: 3. Hamman and Wolff (US), 487. 4. Chagas and Assumpcao (Brazil), 482: 5. De Falco and Franco (Italy), 475: 6. Eisenberg and Berah (US, Venezuela), 456: 7. Flodqvist and Sundelin (Sweden), 454:

pairs competing in The Sunday Times international bridge pairs championship in London, yesterday emerged clear winners.

They maintained the lead they held after the fifth round of the competition. After the fourteenth round their lead was 30 points over Moeller and Werdelin, of Danmark.

over Mocuer and werdens, or Denmark.

Shenkin became the first Briton, and only the second player to win The Sunday Times bridge title twice. He won previously in 1976. The Scottish pair defeated the

Forthcoming marriages Major R. J. S. Bullock-Webster and Maria Countess Cowley The engagement is aunounced and the marriage will take place in April between Robin Bullock-Webster, Irish Guards, and Maria

Countess Cowley. Mr P. R. Gore Browne and Miss S. E. Jenkinson

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The engagement is aumounced between Robert, youngest son of Mr and Mrs T. A. Gore Browne, of The Old Rectory, Lydlinch, Sturminster Newton, Dorset, and Sarah, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. A. Jenkinson, of Burton Abbotts, Black Bourton, Oxford-shire.

shire. Mr E. F. Ward-Thomas and Miss S. T. Brett

inc engagement is announced between Ewan Fitzgerald, younger son of Mr and Mrs Michael Ward-Thomas, of Castlesize: Sallins, Naas, co Kildare, Republic of Ireland, and Sally Templeton, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs Michael T. Brett, of Harpsdeu Hill, Management of Thomas Harpsden, or Henley-on-Thames, Oxfordshire.

Mr N. H. Wilkinson and Mrs D. J. P. Armer

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place in the spring between Noël Heatley Wilkinson, of Perraporth, Corn-wall, and Daphne Joan Phyllis Armer, of Knowie, Warwickshire.

By the Staff of Nature

Microscopic - details on the

surfaces of sand grains can provide a record of wind speeds,

according to a paper published in

Nature this week. Because sand

grains have been deposited

throughout the earth's history,

and Berah (US, Vanezuela), 455: 7, Flodqvist and Sundelin (Sweden), 454; 8, Syart and Soulet (France), 451; 45, Shapiro and Besse (Great Britain, 400: 10. Cayne and Granovetter (US, 449; 11, Krelina and Verserd (Netherlands), 422: 12, Friday and Rodrigue (Great Britain, 411; 15, Sharif and Chemia (Egypt France), 14; Keitela and Charney (Canada), 401; 15, Garozzo and Vass (Italy, Netherlands), 400; 16, Ortizpalino and Bernasconi (Switzerland), 577.

Marriages Mr O. W. Paterson and the Hon Rose Ridley

and the Hon Rose Ridley
The marriage took place on Saturday at the Church of St Mary the
Virgin, Stannington, Northumberland between Mr Owen William
Paterson, younger son of Mr and
Mrs A. D. Paterson, of Oaklands,
Tarporley, Cheshire, and the l'on
Rose Emily Ridley, second
daughter of Viscount and Viscountess Ridley, of Blagdon, Seaton
Burn, Northumberland. The Very
Rev Dr J. H. S. Wild officiated,
assisted by the Rev B. G. Sullivan.
Mr D. M. Ackroyd Mr D. M. Ackroyd and Miss K. Lucas-Tooth

The marriage took place on Saturday at St Andrew's, East Hagbourne, Oxfordshire, between Mr David Ackroyd, son of Mr L. M. Ackroyd and Mrs M. W. Ackroyd, and Mice. Vol. 10 of daughter of Mr and the Hon Mrs John Lucas-Tooth. Canon Peter Gillingham and the Rev F. T. Starbuck took part in the service.

Christenings

The infant son of Mr and Mrs Clive de Rougemont was christened Frederick Charles by the Bishop of Rochester in the Guards Chapel on Sunday, January 27. The godparents are Sir Rupert Mann, Mr Charles Crawlel, Mr Max Pike, Mrs Peter Bickmore and Miss Virginia Watson.

Science report

Sedimentology: Winds and sands

As a result of the experiments,

the scientists deduced a relation-

ship between the wind speed and

the spacing between the grooves on the surfaces of the sand grains,

slower winds causing closer grooves. To test this relationship

relationship.

The scientists also tested how

be made to simulate the effects usually sufficient to alter the of different wind velocities.

Butlin's Star Trail talent competition.

record. That means that a sand grain provides a record of the most recent wind speeds that it

Sand grains have been deposited

as a result of natural erosions of rocks throughout the earth's history. Ancient sand deposits can

be examined by the new technique to reveal how the winds have behaved in the past (although this will be a somewhat complex task).

will be a somewhat complex task). To demonstrate that, the scientists examined an excavated sample of sand, known to be about 250 million years old, from County Durham. They found the associated wind speed to have been about 60 mph; the climate at that time is known to have been hot and arid, but this speed is higher than that typical of similar environments (such as the Saraha) today.

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difficult to impose national stan-dards. Moreover, monitoring equipment is costly, and mear in slaughterhouses is already checked

by inspectors.

A small step towards better monitoring has been taken this month. A short training course is being held at the institute for

has experienced.

1980.

Priday stood proxy).

The Infant son of Mr and Mrs Christopher Robinson, of New York, was christened Jonathan Charles Salkeld by the Rev Ronald Davidson at Christ Church Anglican Church, Deer Park, Toronto, on Friday, January 25. The godparents are Mr Jeffrey Smith, Mr Alfred Ruys de Perez, Mrs Marlene Titian and Miss Jacque-line Moir (for whom Miss Sarah Priday stood proxy). Belle époque paintings sold in New York for £220, 108 By Geraldine Norman Sale Room Correspondent Jacques Kugel, the grandest Paris yadier in silver and objects of foreign private collector. The infant son of Mr and Mrs Sold In New York for £220, 108 By Geraldine Norman Sale Room Correspondent paintings sold in New York for £220, 108 By Geraldine Norman Sale Room Correspondent paintings sold its price ran over estimate for that reason. It was sold to a foreign private collector. The paintings sold

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Sale Room Correspondent
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vealer in silver and objects of
virtu, had consigned a group of
25 paintings of Parisian life in the
late nineteenth control by lean

Star treatment: Catherine Jones, aged 10, from Swansea, preparing for her song and

dance act in the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, London, 'yesterday, one of 14 finalists in

25 paintings of Parisian life in the late nineteenth century by Jean Béraud for sale at Someby Parke Bernet in New York at the weekend. They realized £220,108, with one painting left unsold, less than had been expected.

The fact that an experienced Paris dealer should choose to sell his French pictures in New York underlines the very high prices paid there over the past 18 months for French nineteenth century works expecially of the late cen-

for French nineteenth century works, especially of the late century, or belle époque.

It is hard to catch fashion on the wing; prices for French works were clearly beginning to go off the boil in New York last weekend. Nevertheless, a new auction record for a Béraud painting was established when "Madamoiselle Weisweiller aux Champs Elysées" sold for \$105,000 (estimate \$80,000 to \$100,000) of \$45,652. to \$100,000) or £45,652.

The lovely girl pictured in her carriage in the Champs Elysées later married Baron Heari de Rothschild; it seems likely that Premium bond winners

announced on Saturday, are :

Unity in the last couple of years have prices approaching this been paid for belle époque artists. The paintings had been acquired at a fraction of their present value. In the two-session sale that followed, totalling f1,262,217, with 45 pictures unsold, the same slight dip in value for French academic relations.

The painting that had been expected to make the top price in the Beraud group was "Le salon de 1874", estimated at \$100,000 to \$125,000. It sold for \$90,000,

or £39,130.

Kugel had collected his Béraud

paintings over a 30-year period.
Only in the last couple of years

dlp in value for French academic painters was apparent. Bouguereau's "Le printemps", a large, gold ground pauel painted in 1858, was unsold at \$47,000, or £18,478.

Among Dutch town scenes by Cornelis Springer, a new auction record was established for the artist when "Enkhuizen, the Westerkerk in the distance" made \$72,000 (estimate \$25,000 to \$35,000) or £31,304.

Latest wills

Roberte Countess of Bessborough,
of Onslow Square, Kensington,
widow of the ninth Earl, left
£219,272 net.
Other estates include (net, before
tax paid; tax not disclosed):
Buxton, Priscilla Peronne, of
Reigate, Surrey . . . £209,217

Roberte Countess of Bessborough,

Winning bonds in the weekly draw for Premium Savings Bond prizes, £100,000 : 4AF 700402 (location of winner. co Durham); £50,000: 4DZ 076982 (Surrey); £25,000: 19RL 007153 (West Sussex).

25 years ago From The Tunes of Thursday, Jan 27, 1955 Flying bedstead

Flying bedstead

By Our Aeronautical
Correspondent
Civil transport aircraft capable
of using the vertical lift principle
could be available in about 15
years and military machines much
earlier provided the necessary
effort and funds were made available, according to Mr A. G.
Elliott, executive vice-chairman
and former chief engineer of
Rolls-Royce. He expressed this
view in Loudon last night when
aeronautical correspondents were
shown a short film of a flight by
the "flying bedsnead", the jet
powered its built by Rolls-Royce
for research on the principle of
wingless vertical take-off from the
horizontal position. The film is
being generally released today.
Mr Elliott said that the vertical
take-off principle was suitable for
very fast military or civil aircraft which would probably best
be of a narrow delta shape. By
cutting out the long take-off and
landing runs it would greatly
shorten the overall inormer time.

MR J. W. F. ROWE

Mr J. W. F. Rowe, a notable economist, died on January 18 at the age of 82.

John Wilkinson Foster Rowe

was born on April 6, 1897, the able to return to the direction son of the Ven. J. T. Rowe, of economic studies and in this Archdeacon of Rochester. Leav- he continued until his retireing Marlborough at the end of 1914, he was commissioned in the Royal West Kent Regiment, with which he served in France, winning the MC in 1917.

After the war he went to Trinity College, Cambridge, and took Part I of the Economics Tripos in 1920. He then proceeded to the London degree of M.Sc. and was appointed a lecturer in the university of

London in 1924. Returning to the Economics Faculty at Cambridge in 1932, he was two years later elected a Fellow of Pembroke College and welcomed the opportunity of college work. Pembroke suffered a particularly severe series of losses in 1935 and in the following year Rowe took over the responsibility of the kitchen and buttery. He was fortunately able to achieve an important measure of reconstruction before the outbreak of

In the early part of the war he worked for the government, but in 1941 returned to Cambridge at the urgent request of the Master of Pembroke (Sir Montagu Butler) in order to take over the tutorship of the college. This was something of Grace Whelpton.

Meanwhile, Rowe's position in the sphere of economics had been established. In the 1920s he had published studies of Wages in the Coal Industry and Wages in practice and theory and these were followed by a more popular book. Markets and Men, in 1936. It was in his later years that the government made full use of his knowledge and experience and he conducted the conducted that the second conducted the conducted that the condu ducted important investigations

into the economic of the Sey-

able to return to the direction

he continued until his retire-

ment in 1962.

chelles as well as of various countries of Africa and South America. The World's Coffee (1963) embodied the results of some of this work. Wilkie Rowe did not, per-haps, represent the popular conception either of an econo-mist or of a college don. On the one hand, there was nothing one hand, there was nothing forbidding or statistical or dogmatic about him; on the other hand, so far from being learnedly eccentric, he had a friendly, comfortable, domestic manner which put his friends and his pupils quickly at ease.

MR SIMON KAPEPWE

MK SIMON KAPEPWE

Mr Simon Kapepwe, who was leader of the banned United Progressive Party in Zambia, died on January 26 at the age of 57. He had been a veteran African nationalist politician from long before Zambia's independence and was a joint founder of the old African National Congress of Northern Rhodesia in 1946. In 1958 he formed the Zambian African Kapepwe and Mr Harry formed the Zambian African Kapepwe and Mr Harry formed the Zambian African Kapepwe and Mr Harry formed the Zambian African National Congress both announced their intention and was for many years a close both announced their intention associate and friend of the to run against President Kaunda

latter, a partnership which continued after Kaunda became election of 1978 but they were
President of Zambia in 1964.

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election of 1978 but they were
disqualified by the national
council of UNIP. Both men's in the Zambian presidential election of 1978 but they were disqualified by the national United National Independence appeals to the Supreme Court Party (UNIP) and was Vice against this disqualification President both of the party and were turned down last year.

Monitoring the use of synthetic growth hormones in farm animals

throughout the earth's history, researchers can trace the patterns of winds stretching from the recent to the distant past.

Sand grains blown by the wind collide with each other and their surfaces become abraded in the process. The surface grooves which result from those impacts can be seen with an electron microscope.

To investigate what might be learnt from the grooves, Dr D. Krinsley and Dr W. Wellendorf, of Arizona State University, conducted a laboratory experiment.

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They created artificial sand by crushing natural rock, and rotated it within a paddle-wheel device. grains' surface might change as a The device caused the sand grains result of varying wind speed. They to abrade each other, and could found that a few hours were

Growth promoters are synthetic sex hormones which make animals put on flesh, and therefore meat, more quickly than normal. The methods of detecting such substances in meat are similar to those used in the screening of athletes and racehorses for drugs. athletes and racehorses for drugs. The similarity explains the presence of Dr Ray Heitzman at a meeting in Vienna late last year. It was organized under the auspices of the International Atomic Energy Authority to erable scientists to compare notes about the use of radiation techniques to detect certain drugs in animal and human dissues.

Dr Heitzman, a principal scientific officer at the Institute for Research on Animal Diseases at Compton, Berkshire, has worked on racehorses. His usual subjects, however, are farm animals. It is ironic that the creatures on which synthetic, sex hormones are used most often are those least often connected with the drugs in the

As many as a quarter of British heef cattle are now thought to be treated with growth promoters. The substances are used far more often on farms than in racing stables and by athletes. Some of the drugs used on cattle in

ears are thrown away in slaughter-houses. If contamination is to be prevented the drugs must be applied correctly, and a time fixed

applied correctly, and a time fixed by manufacturers must elapse before animals are sent for slaughter.

Some of the drugs may be administered only by veterinary surgeous, but others are used by farmers and their employees. Asked if there were any legal safeguards to ensure correct use, the Ministry of Agriculture, the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food replied: "We have no legislation to prevent farmers from misreading or dis-obeying recommendations ". When research workers at the when research warkers at the institute gave certain growth promoters to dairy heifers they found "virilization" of the sex organs. A summary of their work said: "The development of the mammary glands of the steroid-treated heifers was impaired, and trill violet ware much lower than milk yields were much lower than in controls."

Such conclusions reinforce uncase about what is done to food and about ignorance of the face of farm animals. It is impossible for before it reached the point of

Agriculture

Hugh Clayton

shoppers to determine whether the mimals from which their meat is cut have been treated with synthetic sex hormones.

Staff at the institute have been examining possible health dangers from residues in meat of such hormones. Dr Heitzman said the sex aspect was less important than normones. Dr Heitzman said the sex aspect was less important than a probable link with cancer. The drugs were probably carcinogenic or cancer-causing, at very high levels. "Given the right animal, which is a certain breed of mouse", he said, "If you give enough of the drugs you will get manuary tumours". maintary tumours

Evidence suggested that residues
of the drugs were too low to be
carcinogenic, he continued. It is

possible, but improbable, for animals to be implanted incorrectly

and to be sent for slaughter too early. That might increase the residues of the drugs in the meat. The solution lies in monitoring

in slaughterhouses so that meat with high residues could be found

staff from the food science divi-sion and the central veterinary laboratory of the Ministry of Agriculture. Agriculture.

Screening, equipment is available for them in state laboratorics. They will be able to examine only a minute proportion of the hundreds of thousands of tons of beef produced in Britain each year. Moreover, the supply of samples of meat from slaughterhouses will have to be negotiated between central laboratories and local authorities.

local authorities.

A further obstacle to complete monitoring is that workers at the institute have not yet developed a system with which one of the synthetic hormones, zeramol, can be detected in meat. Dr Heitzman belianed that it would be developed, but could not say how 3000. Systems for other drugs are

available for regional

sale. Slaughtering of most live-stock in Britain is still adminis-tered by local authorities, so it is difficult to impose national stan-dards. Moreover, monitoring equipment is costly, and mear in slaughterhouses is already checked

many more.

Experiments have been conducted with the use of growth promoters in sheep, pigs, poultry and fish. But the difference between the cost of the drug and the value of the extra meat produced by it has been much less than with cattle. The attraction of the drugs for the beef producer is that they enable him to put in pennies and extract pounds in the form of extra meat. meat.
One of the most widely used

growth promoters on sale in Britain is administered by farmers with an appliance shaped like a gun. The farmer loads a chamber with pellets of the drug and holds the butt with the muzzle pushed into the skin of the animal. When the trigger is pulled a bit red the rigger is pulled, a thin rod pushes the pellet along a marrow tube into the flesh of the animal. Thus the highly advanced work of the international drugs industry ends with the use of a simple implement on the farm. The use of synthetic sex horzones is reof synthetic sex hormones is re-garded as a normal part of beef production by many farmers. That shows how little most people know about what they eat.

chrong out the long take-off and landing runs it would greatly shorten the overall journey time. The lift engine would be a special type of power plant with a very low specific weight. Because the engine would not require a wide speed or altitude range it need not be complicated. Other engines would be used for forward flight.

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BUSINESS NEWS

Britains trade since entering the **EEC**, p 17

■ Stock markets FT ludex 452.4 FT Gilts 67.78

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- Index 71.9 ■ Dollar
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IN BRIEF

Retail plea for building tax relief

Extension of industrial building tax relief to construction developments by the retail trade is being urged on the Chancellor of the Exchequer by the Retail Consortium.

The move to bring this sector of commercial property development in line with manufacturing industry for allowances is also supported by the Confederation of British Industry. But the CBI wants allowances for all commercial property, starting with an 8 per cent initial allowance, followed by 8 per cent annual write-downs of the balance of costs. In 1978 allowances were con-ceded to the hotel industry because of its contribution to tourism earnings — although with only a 20 per cent initial allowance compared with manufacturing's 50 per cent.

lobs 'sure to go'

Weir, the Glasgow-based engineering group, has told its 8,500 employees that further redundancies "will almost certainly be unavoidable "during the coming year because of nough" business conditions. Viscount Weir, the group chairman, blames the 1979 national engineering strike, which was "utterly irrespons-ible and caused permanent

£55m Paris sale

French chemical and enginconglomerate Rhone Powlenc has sold its Paris head-quarters complex for Fr 500m £55m) to Banque Arabe et Internationale d'Investissement acting for private Kuwaiti inves tors, and Banque Privee de Ges-tion Financiere. British agents Richard Ellis acted for Rhone

Meccano plant vote

A decision on whether to allow representatives of Airfix Industries into the Meccano toy works at Edge Hill, Liverpool, will be taken at a meeting today by 940 workers occupying the plant. Shop stewards will re-commend they should give some managers access to the records

Membership increase

Membership of the Article Number Association, which administers barcoding of shop goods in preparation for laser scanning at retail checkouts, has jumped 30 per cent in three months to 422 and is expected to rise further.

Strike spread feared

An unofficial strike on the Mersey, which started when 234 shoregang men walked off on Friday night continued throughout the weekend without any apparent escalation. But employers fear the stoppage, over redundancy payments, could spread today.

£13.5m contracts

Gleeson Group has won 11 contracts worth nearly £13.5m, including foundations for the BP Desalter plant at Grangemouth and extensions to the Royal Opera House, Covent

Oil price rise

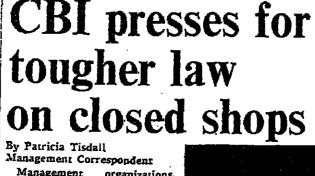
Angola's oil ministry has announced a \$5.94 per barrel price increase for Cabinda crude, backdated to January 1. Angolan oil will now sell at \$31.79 a barrel.

Indian gas find

India has located a natural gas field in the Arabian Sea, north of Bombay, Mr P. C. Schi, Petroleum and Chemicals Minister, announced: More tests will determine the

Kuwait oil curbs

Kuwait is joining other Opec nations to limit severely the ability of customers to resell, exchange or trade its crude oil in an attempt to direct the flow of oil to end users and to cash in on any price rises from spot-oriented resales.



Management organizations are attempting to get White-hall to tighten the provisions for alloting and the closed shop contained in the Employment Rill They arsue that the ment Bill. They argue that the Government could go further. because of developments in the steel strike and the hardening of attitudes to trade union activity expresses in *The Times* survey of opinions last week.

In its latest submissions to the Department of Employ-ment, the Confederation of British Industry is secking changes that would ensure new closed shops being introduced only if approved by a majority of employees in a ballot.

The Bill proposes that an individual dismissed for nonunion membership after a new closed shop had been introduced could be entirled to compensation if no ballor bad taken place. CBI dissidents argue that even the maximum compensation provides. compensation provides no effective deterrent to a deter-

mined trade union. They say that belated recognition that a ballot is not an absolute requirement before closed shops are set up has caused a toughening in businessmen's attitudes to the

In a formal commentary on the Bill the CBI is seeking furthe safeguards. It is asking for legislation to provide that a term in the contract of employment, requiring union membership as the result of a new closed shop agreement, should be void and unenforceable unless the agreement has been approved in a ballot by the statutory majority.

Other organizations want more radical changes. The In-stitute of Directors is asking for an amendment to test existing closed shop agreements by ballot every five years. It also wants to give minority groups of trade unionists the statutory right to call a ballot in given circumstances in the same way that a minority of shareholders can seek an overall expression

of views. Amendments relating to secondary picketing are also being requested. The IoD considers that the existing provisions of the Bill would do very little to prevent the unreasonable extension of picketing which is at present occurring. In its view, employers facing second-

No reserve

the D-mark

The West German Federal

Bank has extended the scope of its "gentleman's agreement" with German banks designed to hinder the emergence of the Deutsche mark as a reserve

currency.

The banks have agreed that

their subsidiaries in Luxem-bourg should no longer offer new issues of Deutsche mark promissory note loans with ma-turities of five years or less to

foreign investors. Banks will not offer non-residents promissory note loans that have already been issued if they have less than four years to run.

The Federal bank has therefore closed a loophole in its

restrictions designed to prevent non-residents speculating in short-term Deutsche-mark secur-

ities. The promissory note loans

in question are usually offered

privately to large scale inves-tors and are not quoted publicly

on stock exchanges.

Domestic issues of bonds and

money market paper of less than four years life have been barred to foreign investors for some years, while in February 1979 the Federal bank stopped public bond issues by German banks in Luxembourg.

The German Eurobanks have also already agreed not to issue

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also already agreed not mark floating rate Deutsche-mark securities or transferable certificates of deposit.

This latest move by the Fed-

Luxembourg, the latest restric-

tions will inevitably mean a loss

of business opportunities at a time when profits are coming

But it would appear that the

banks still have some breathing

space as far as the bigger issue

of controlling the Euromarkets

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under pressure.

is concerned.

role for

From Peter Norman

Brussels, Jan 27



Lord Gowcie: law is being

ary picketing should have the right to sue trade unions as well as individual pickets.

In addition to seeking amendments to the Bill, the directors are asking the Government for a commitment to tackle trade union immunities in general.

Plans to introduce some form of legislation on these immunities are already well advanced Lord Gowrie, Minis-ter for Employment, told a meeting of the Institute of Personnel Managers last week that the Government is reviewing the law and that it expects to publish a discussion paper shortly and will then consult with interested bodies.

It was clear from what Lord Gowrie said that action on im-munities is regarded as a subject for separate legislation rather than as an item which could be incorporated in the Employment Bill.

Industrialists who have been noustraints who have been lobbying backbench Tory members of the Select Committee on the Bill which had its first meeting last Thursday say that their views were heard sympathetically. However the indications are that the Government does not want to antagonize the trade unions by faking any radical changes in his proposals at this stage. in view is that practical reality dictates a piecemeal and cautious approach to changes in industrial relations legislation rather than attempting to incorporate all the reforms it desires in a single law.

Inflation a threat to engineering -employers

By Peter Hill Continued continued inflation at present levels, roughly twice the rate of other major industrialized nations, threatens to destroy much of the United Kingdom engineering industry, the Government was warned today.

today.

The claim, made by the Engineering Employers' Federation (EEF), whose 6,500 member companies employ about 2,000,000 workers, was contained in Budget submissions to Sir Geoffrey Howe, Chancellor of the Exchequer.

The EEF said it firmly believed that the current approach to the economy was approach to the economy was correct, but it gave a warning that the future of the en-gineering sector was heavily dependent on the Government's ability to control the

spending. Present controls in public spending "lead to cuts in capital expenditure, rises in the prices for goods and services supplied by the public, to the private sector, and reductions in the quality of service, said the EEF. Cuts, it vice, said the EEF. Cots, it suggested, should be concen-trated on current or revenue expenditure and should be accompanied by increased effi-

inflation and excessive public

The EEF view is that current public expenditure will not be cut while public sector wage and salary levels are pushed up—largely as a result of the work of the Clegg Commission—at faster rates than the private sector can afford and much faster than nerited by public sector pro-

ductivity improvements.

The EEF singled out for particular mention the enormous cost of paying index-linked pensions to public sec-tor employees which, it argued, only served to fuel inflation. It intends to make a separate and detailed submission on pensions later. The EEF urged further

progress in eliminating the powerty trap, and called for further reduction of taxation at the lower end of the scale and the taxing of social secur-ity benefits.

It also asked the Chancellor

to rationalize VAT payment systems and to reduce the National Insurance surcharge. The EEF called on the Government to honour its commit-ment to abolish Capital Transfer

markets. The Justice Department says that these organiza-tions conspired with others, but

ment really wanted to ensure that any form of commission rate fixing in the currency business ceased, then it would probably have named indi-

iduals, banks and brokerage houses, rather than just a couple of associations that do

Mr Mark Liddy, one of the

department's senior lawyers involved in the case, said that

no trading at all.

Currency dealers face

Washington, Jan 27
The United States Department of Justice has filed a suit in the District Court in New York that will not only worry many foreign exchange dealers, but also could have wide ranging implications for the waykers which the currency workers that any form of commission.

'fixing' charge

Economics Correspondent Washington, Jan 27

which the currency markets function.

The department has charged the Forex Association of north America (FOREX) and the

Foreign Exchange Brokers Association (FEBA), both based in New York, with seeking to "fix, maintain and stabilize the com-

missions paid for brokers' ser-vices in the mading of foreign

exchange and Eurocurrencies" in violation of America's anti-

trust daws.

The complaint asserts that

FOREX and FEBA acted in such

a way that they "restrained, suppressed and eliminated com-

FOREX consists of represen-

tatives from bankers, brokers and others involved in the foreign exchange and Euro-currency business and to some

extent it is little more than a club. FEBA is the association for brokers in the currency

Revenue investigates £20m frauds

By John Huxley

Inland Revenue officials are investigating 37 cases of suspected tax abuse in the building industry, involving pay-ments of £20m. They relate to misuse of the controversial 714 certificate issued under the construction industry tax deduction scheme to sub-contractors.

Inquiries are continuing, but Revenue officers say that "very large sums" are involved in some cases. Main representative organizations of the industry are being called in to discuss ways in which loopholes in the scheme can be closed. the scheme can be closed.

Ironically, the present scheme was introduced in 1975 (and came into force in 1977) largely to prevent tax abuses associated with the "lump". Earlier measures had failed to prevent a serious loss of revenue.

Despite a six-fold increase in

believe that the figure may have been nearer the upper than the

lower end of the scale".

The scheme, now under review, tightened up the law. It is a complicated set of arrangenents aimed at ensuring that builders meet their tax and National Insurance obligations by the issue of certificates and the exchange of vouchers (similar to receipts) for payments

The industry, led by the National Federation of Building Trades Employers (NFBTE), has argued that these arrangements impose a harsh bureau-cratic and financial burden on companies which can cause personal hardship.

A consultative paper produced by the Inland Revenue, now being made available to the industry, accepts that the prosecutions between 1973 and the industry, accepts that the 1977, fraud and other serious system imposes a heavy administregularities became wide-spread in the construction in-

However, it concludes: "The highly mobile nature of the workforce and the history of past abuse suggests that some sort of arrangement for deduction of tax at source will con-tinue to be necessary in the The Inland Revenue is waty

of moves to ease certification.
"There are serious objections. is a valuable document. In the wrong hands a certificate, even with a six months' validity, could be used to shelter from tax very large sums of money indeed." It adds that certificates change hands at high prices.

Tax abuses now being investigated are alleged to have exploited loopholes in the certi-ficate scheme, one of which freed companies from the inconvenience of applying for a certificate carrying a photo-graph, which had be to pre-sented personally.

dustry. The Inland Revenue fying conditions for obtaining estimated tax losses at between film and f100m a year and said there was "some reason to believe the the form and the film and the the film and the film an view that the jurisdiction of the Appeal Commissioners should be extended to all matters covering the issue of

certificates. The employers are also pleased by the proposed relaxation in the three-year rule, which requires applicants for a certificate to have been em-ployed or self-employed in the United Kingdom throughout the whole of the three years preceding the application and to have met tax obligations during that

The Inland Revenue says ex-The Inland Revenue says experience has shown that the rule is too tightly drawn, because it prevented those who had been ill or temporarily off work for a month or so from obtaining a certificate.

Mr Peter Rees, Minister of State for the Treasury, said that, after consultations, the Government intended to introduce. intended to introduce legislation to amend the present scheme.

Scrutiny of Whitehall spending is criticized

Sharp criticism of the way in which the spending of Civil Service departments is scrutinized and audited is contained in a memorandum from the Consul ancy Bodies to the Chief Secretary to the Treasury, published today.

The accountants say that there should be an increase in the size of the Government's auditing arm—the Exchequer and Audit Department—which they point out has only a frac-tion of the staff employed by any of the big accountancy

They also argue that the new Commons Select Committees should evolve further, and that scrutiny of the spending of the Civil Service should become more of a continuous process than it has been. They believe that these Parliaments that these Parliamentary Committees should concentrate more on evaluation of organizations and systems instead of confining themselves to evaluation of individual transactions.

The accountability of any management, they contend, can best be measured by a comparison of its plans with its achievements. They therefore advocate the gradual development of a system of depart-mental reporting to Parliament and to the public.

tify what the policy objectives were; how progress towards them is to be measured, and what resources have been allo-cated to them. The reports should also contain, if possible, a commentary describing the main factors which had affec-ted the level of achievement. The accountants claim that

value-for-money auditing, based on the management systems approach, would help to rationalize priorities and ensure that money for controls was spent on the highest priority

risks.

However, the accountants maintain that the changes recommended should be adopted as long-term objectives rather than as immediate requirements on the head of the Exchequer and Audit Department, the Comptroller and Auditor General. They say that the Comptroller and that the Comptroller and Auditor General should remain independent, not only of the Government, but also of the parliamentary committees to which he reports.

one aim is to serve warning to all those involved in the currency markets that fixing commissions is viewed as a serious anti-trust violation.
Justice Department officials The memorandum is submit-ted on behalf of the councils of believes that some quite compli-cated price fixing debates may have taken place within Forex's executive and its market prac-tices committees and within Feba's board of governors. the six accountancy bodies in the United Kingdom: the Institutes of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales, Scotland, and Ireland, the Association of Certified Accountants, the Insti-tute of Cost and Management Accountants and the Chartered Institute of Public Finance and The Justice Department alleges that price-fixing has been going on since early 1971

NEB may broaden range of support in software industry

Technology Editor

The National Enterprise Board has decided to continue its selective support for the United Kingdom computer software industry through its Insac Products subsidiary. Indeed, in the near future, the Insac opera-tions may be expanded to embrace the products of nonmember companies, though no decision has yet been taken

The board has also not yet decided whether the proposed disposal to the private sector of the NEB shareholding in Systems Programming Holdings, parent of the SPL software house, is in the best interests of the nation or of the company.

Following the recent troubles within Insac—two resignations from the Insac board; the proposed SPL disposal; and the denger that Logica, another member company, might elso withdraw from Insac—the NEB is your recomming it relation. is now reexamining its relation-ships with Insac and its An important question

whether to change the basis of the Insac business to include the marketing—and, significantly, selected development support—of the software products of non-member companies. Insac needs a wider portfolio

of products than can be provided by the existing members.
When the NEB subsidiary was originally set up in 1977, the hope was that there would be more members (more, that is, than the present five) and hence more proposals for Insacbacked products.

of its viewdata operations into a separate company, has been but has not yet been considered by the NEB. This is expected within the next two months. In the meantime the NEB is continuing to seek further potential linsac members.

Volvo sales

Volvo group sales during 1979 are estimated at 13,400m Swedish kroner (£2,488m), an increase of 22 per cent over sales of 19,133m kr in 1978. Sales in the fourth quarter of 1979 were 6,600m kr compared

future. But the problem will be to devise a structure that will enable non-members' products to be marketed abroad under the lusac umbrella, while pre serving the special status of the members and the overall sta-bility of the NEB/Insac/mem-

say, five projects a year, one from each company—is not suf-ficent to give a viable business.

Ir is therefore virtually certain

that non-member companies

Insac operations in the near

On the question of the NEB's holding in Systems Pro-gramming, the disposal of which was proposed by Mr Peter Adams, SPL managing director, the board is now discussing whether this would be in the national interest, and in the

interest of the company. If the NEB does agree to dispose of its SPH shares, it is obliged to offer them first to the other shareholder, NDC Systems, a privately-owned com-pany registered in Geneva. Until it has decided whether or not it favours the disposal on principle, the NEB is not discussing

any possible selling price. Insac's revised corporate plan, following the recent separation of its viewdata operations into

Brick stocks rise

Brick production in Britain during December totalled 327 million and deliveries 288 million. Stocks rose by 39 million to 571 million, representing six weeks' production. Output for the third quarter of last year was the same as for 1978.

Check rising costs rate, broker says By John Whitmore

Financial Correspondent

There is not much hope for Britain unless the rate of cost increases can be brought down below the OBCD average, ac-cording to stockbroker Phillips. & Drew.

In a paper submitted to the Commons Select Committee on the Treasury it argues that although monetary policy must remain an important part of Government strategy, it is un-likely to work quickly enough to bring down the present rate of cost increases.

It does not, however, advocate a return to old-style incomes policy. Instead, it urges a two-pronged approach, making use of the Government's improving financial position from North Sea oil.

First, it suggests a policy of selective fiscal stimulus in the form of public investment in return for selective pay restraint; second, progressive steps towards the elimination of the employers' National Insurance surcharge. This might create the right condi-tions for lower pay settlements reducing price inflation, le preserving profit by rowhile margins.

In the National Westminster's latest economic review. Dr. David Lomax, its economic adviser, writes that the key to-any lasting reduction in in-terest rates must be a signifi-cant fall in public borrowing. He adds that, while a policy of low PSBR and low interest rates as a stimulus to expansion requires an act of faith, a policy of a high PSBR and high interest rates can only squeeze the corporate sector

squeeze the corporate sector and prevent growth.

He warns that it will be difficult for the Government to cut PSBR significantly in 1980-81 but sees no great difficulty in meeting borrowing needs.

On the prospects for reform of the monetary system, Dr Lomax says that one would expect to see organic development of the present system with some

Dobson Park "Extremely satisfactory"



Group Sales for 1978/79 amounted to £142,200,000 an increase of 3% over the previous year. Group profits, before transion and extraordinary items, increased by £448,000 to a figure of £14,223,000. These results were achieved in the face of exceptional interruptions of production caused by the industrial disputes of last Winter and the damaging national engineering strikes during the last two months of our financial year. The level of profit in the light of the considerable difficulties must be considered as entremely satisfactory and again reflects great credit on our management and employees.

Review of Year

The people who work for Dobson Park can be proud of their achievements during the past year and there is extained no gloom and despondency about the Groups future. During a year of exceptional difficulties we were successful in increasing our total expert: by 28% to an amount of 231.2m. It is still our firm intention to expand our overseas safes and earnings and, during the year, further investments have been made in overseas outlets, Future Prospects In the present unstable conditions it would be foolish to make

firm predictions about the current financial year. The year has attened well with full production in Mining Machinery and Kango and with the recovery in other areas being maintained. The future for the world cost industry looks as good as ever in view of the worlds over oil supplies and we are determined to maintain our high position in the world-wide roof.

support market.

J (cel that, in spile of all the many difficulties that lie ahead,
we shall be able to maintain our good record. C.E.Ward, Chairman

Summary of Results World Sales to third parties Sales in the United Kingdo Gross Equivalent dividend Dividend per share Ordinary Shareholders funds



Delay in setting up IMF alternative could spark crisis

The danger of dumping dollars

are set to rise by about \$1,000m (£440m) every four

days.

The IMF plan, proposed more than a year ago by M Jacques De Larosiere, the fund's managing director, envisaged the creation of an IMF account into which central about why the plan has proved banks could place dollars and receive in exchange a new asset, tied in value to the Special Drawing Right and account with some financial offering an attractive rate of interest. The plan could enhance the importance of the interest. The plan could exchange losses.

enhance the importance of the Mr Solomon said there was special Drawing Right, but talk of using some of the more importantly according to IMF's gold as backing. The

currency markers.

M De Larosiere had hoped

His hopes are about to be dashed once again. The plan will not be agreed upon in April. The ever-cautious Mr mean tremendous pressures on the foreign exchanges.

Secretary of the United States
Treasury for monetary affairs, said: I would doubt that such is a danger of a crisis, and it is a danger of a crisis, and a danger of a crisis, and a danger of a crisis, and a complicated set of discus-

IMF meeting." Officials are reluctant to talk reserves in case of foreign

A merchant banker, on the bankers, it could safeguard the banker who called me from London was most interested in this—hardly surprising given the state of the bullion market. Some officials are worried that gold must play a key official monetary role and that developing countries will protest if IMF gold reserves are used in

would have been helpful to have the Substitution Account operating.

But they assert that confi

dence is being generated by the Federal Reserve Board's tougher monetary stance, by the improved health of the United States current account, and by the increased determi-nation of President Carter to

> Frank Vogl in Washington

THE POUND Norway Kr 11.55
Portugal Esc 119.00
South Africa Rd 2.02
Spain Pia 157.00
Sweden Kr 9.78
Switzerland Fsells 11.05 112.50 1.87 150.00 sells 2.04 27.75 64.75 2.62 12.22 8.30 9.12 3.90 96.00 10.72 Australia 5 Sweden Kr 9.78 Switzerland Fr 3.84 115 A S 2.33 Canada S Denmark Kr Finland Mkk rance Fr Germany Du Greece Dr Hongkong S

This latest move by the Federal bank shows that the German monetary authorities are still extremely reluctant to see any extension of the reserve currency role of the Deutsche mark. If there is to be a move telephone from London the other day, was considering the possibility of a dollar crisis. towards a multi-currency re-serve system, they believe it should happen in an orderly rather than a haphazard fashion. For the German banks in some big holders may decide to diversify their assets", he said. "The amount of dollars overhanging the markets is

The banker had called to discover what is happening to the International Monetary Fund's plan for a Substitution Account. He said the plan could dampen speculation that Arab oil producers may dump dollars on the market. This year, Arab investment funds

possibility of a dollar crisis.

The danger now is that a approved by the IMF's interim dollar crisis will start because committee of finance migisters last October, but technical squabbles prevented it. Last week M De Larosiere said in a speech that "I hope that when the interim committee meets in Hamburg in April, the remaining questions on the design of this account can be

sions and characteristics will be agreed upon by the next

this manner.
It appears the Substitution Account will not be operating for months, so if any central bank in the Middle East or elsewhere, wants to reduce its dollar holdings, it will have to use the markets. This may mean tremendous pressures on

cut oil imports.

Reed BAT and Trident TV

Blue chip stocks feature strongly among companies reporting this week, with second-half profits from BAT excusives and a third-quarter report from the giant paper group, Reed International.

Tricut Television is also restrent and should prove interesting in view of the battle now being fought by television companies for the renewal of the independent television franchise.

Significant economic indicators within the next five days are fairly thin on the ground, but on Thursday there are the final unemployment figures for December from the Department of Employment, followed by the report on days lost through industrial disputes and finally the energy trends from the Department of Energy.

Full-year figures from Trident Television on Tuesday will indicate just how damaging the 11-week technicians' strike has been for the television companies. An early estimate has now been lowered from £91m to £7.75m against £9m last year after profits of £4.8m at the half-way stage. The strike which covered six to seven weeks of the year in question has cost an estimated 10m in revenue before the Exchequer

Therefore, the hopes of a substantial hoist in the dividend, following the chairman's statement that dividend cover of more than two was appro-priate, now seems to be receding. Prospects for the current year show that advertising has picked up but with the develop-ment costs of the new channel on the horizon and further rises in advertising rates it could be a rough ride for some.

Also on Tuesday come the third-quarter profits from Reed International, which should show a healthy rise due to a good, all-round performance.

Estimates range from 575m to £80m for the nine months to September 30, compared with £613m for the corresponding period. Most of the group's major divisions are currently enjoying improved trading conditions which should also reflect North American newsprint mar- seasonal elements. ket, where several substantial price rises have now filtered

These figures are unlikely to be affected by the recent sale tion of Wades Departmental of its Dryden mill operations
which will now show up in the

Stores and Allied Carpets. final quarter. A downturn is anticipated in the final quarter, but analysts believe that the group should still exceed £100m for the full year against £95.8m. Recent sales by the group are now thought to have reduced the company's gearing from over 200 per cent to less than 40 per cent of shareholders'

Second-half profits from BAT ever, the non-foods side will



Mr Alexander Jarratt, chairman

Industries on Wednesday could well prove to be confusing as they have now changed year-ends. Therefore, this period now covers fifteen months from September, 1978, to December

Estimates range from £448m to £480m against £381m last year. With much of the group's profits coming from overseas, currency exchange rates will play a large part in the final

A 30 per cent devaluation of cruzeiro earlier this year will also play an important part now that BAT holds 80 per cent of the Brazilian tobacco market. Nevertheless, tobacco should have made less of a contribution overall this year as the group's diversification diversification programme begins to bite. The paper side should now chip in with about 20 per cent of operating profits, while the retail division will turn in profits of about 7 per

This week

Little so far is known about profits from investments which last year contributed 12 per cent of operating profits.

Observers are reluctant to make any prediction for the rethe buoyant conditions of the maining three months, owing to

Finally, on Wednesday, there are interim profits from Asso-ciated Dairies, which were delayed owing to the acquisi-

A healthy rise in pre-tax profits is expected which, after deducting acquisition costs, are pitched at around £21.5m against £15.1m this time last pitched

The superstores' operations are thought to have continued the good start they made to the year and should contribute profits of around £18m. How-

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Mr P. Sheeby, chairman of

show the problems encountered by most chain stores, although some improvement is still antici-

Hopes for the second half, though, do not look so bright as the recent fall in consumer spending will have begun to take hold.

TODAY.— Interims.— Ashley Industrial Trust, Cantors, Country and New Town Properties, Ellis and Everard, Estates Property Investment, Midland Trust, Neepsend and Stirling Knitting. Finals :- Braid Group, Brentnall Beard, Burroughs Machines and Kuala Lumpur Kepong Berbad.

TOMORROW :- Interims :-Christie-Tyler, Grimshawe Holdings, Henderson-Kenton, Rosgill (Holdings) and Worthington (AJ). Finals:-IDC Group, Prestige, Trident Television and

WEDNESDAY :- Interims :-Associated Dairies, BAT Industries (12 months' figs), Daejan Holdings, Manson Finance Trust, Stewart Plastics and Syltone. Finals :- Allied Textile, Bank Leumi (UK), Pratt (F) Eng., and Throgmorton Trust.

THURSDAY :- Interims :- Armour Trust, City of London Brewery and Invest., Garford-Lilley Inds., Hambro Trust, Longton, Newmark (Louis), Portsmouth and Sunderland Newspapers (9 months), Reardon Smith Line, Stoddard Holdings and Textured Jersey. Finals :- Blundell - Permoglaze Holdings and Hill and Smith.

FRIDAY :- Interims :- Gaunt (Rowland), ML Holdings, Town and City Props. and Wholesale Fittings. Finals :- Evode Holdings and Radley Fashion.

Michael Clark

From Johannesburg

The gold mining industry-and holders of gold mining shares — are faintly hoping that the hudget which South African finance minister Senator Owen Horwood will present to Parliament on March 26 will bring some relief from the punitive taxation which is currently skimming the cream off the top of the gold price boom. In many cases the state is taking about 70 per cent of the additional profits which the soaring bullion price has been earning for the better grade gold producers.

But these are indeed very faint hopes. For many years now, the gold mining industry has been the milch cow which has provided the Treasury with a major part of its revenue. It is the largest single source of tax with the added advantage from the minister's point of view that it is voteless—but not voiceless. For years industry leaders have urged an easing of the gold mines tax rate but these pleas have gone unheeded because the revenue which gold generates for the treasury is usually directed to areas which carry more practical political weight.

Mining

Lower taxes and more generous capital allowances, it is claimed, would encourage the mines and the mining houses to spend additional money or houses to spend additional money on exploration and to venture risk capital on prospects offering only marginal possibilities or success. But these pleas have made no impression, and the argument that revenue temporarily lost might be regained from subsequent tax on mines yet to come has fallen on deaf ears. As far as the Treasury is concerned tax in the hand is worth more than possible tax still buried in the ground

Gold mines-indeed most minespay two types of impost to the Treasury. The one is a lease payment which was originally designed as a capital contribution to the state to compensate for the exhaustion of a natural resource and was supposed to be reinvested in new capital assets for future generations -a phrìosophy which has been overlooked during the years.

The other tax is an income tax on a formula basis which provides for a sliding scale : the lower the profitability the smaller the percentage of tax, but the higher the profit, the larger will be the state's share. On top of formula tax comes the 5 per cent surcharge on tax payable and a loan levy which is 10 per cent of tax payable.

The authorities do not regard the oan levy as a tax because it is repaid after seven years and bears a nominal rate of interest. But as far as the mining companies are concerned it has the same effect as tax because it is money which is unavailable in the year earned either for distribution to shareholders or for capital expenditure.

Lease payments vary from mine to mine according to the government mining experts' original assessment of the richness of the property. If borehole exploration suggests that the lease area is rich, the formula is set to enable the Treasury to grab a sizable handful of the largesse. If the possibilities are that a propery is medium to lower

Why gold mines are

hoping for tax cuts

Free State Geduld, the mine with the highest recorded lease formula.

grade, the lease formula is adjusted downwards.

The highest lease formula on record is that which applies to Free State Geduld in the Orange Free State. The boreholes were rich and he state's grab was correspondingly large. But a few boreholes are not true indication as Free State Saaiplaas, Lorraine and Freddies proved. In recent years, however, the state has been more realistic. tending to standardize the rate at an average level of 15 per cent.

The average lease formula is as follows: Payments are Y per cent. which equals 17 -- (102 dividend by X) where

equals taxable income dividend by

total revenue expressed as a percent-In simple and approximate average terms this means that lease payments

can reach a maximum of about 16 per cent of taxable income. Taxable income is net income less capital expenditure and any capital allowances which are due. Ironically,

tax deductable. The average tax formula, too, is unnecessarily complicated. It is:

lease payments are considered as being

Tax rate equals Y per cent which equals 60X (360 dividend by X) where X equals taxable income divided by total revenue expressed as a percentage. Brush aside all this algebra, what the two formulae effectively mean is that no payments are made by marginal mines when their taxable income is 6 per cent or less of total revenue. On the

other hand it soars to great heights when the taxable income is large.

For example it reaches a theoretical maximum when x equals 100 per cent, that is when taxable income equals total revenue. In such a case tax would equal 56.4 per cent, tax and surcharge and loan levy would go up to 64.9 per cent, and tax plus surcharge plus loan levy plus average lease consideration would be 69.8 per cent. And it could be marginally higher. depending on the variation of the numbers in the least formulae.

In essence these maximum tax rates are also the marginal rates which the



Senator Owen Horwood, South Africa's

industry.

mines are paying on any additional revenue received from a higher gold price. It is only because most mines are currently embarking on large capital expenditure projects—to increase production, to increase efficiencies, to extend mining areas-

that they are not all paying top marginal rates at present. But they are paying. For example, in the last quarter Western Deep Levels paid 70 per cent overall, compared with 64.9 per cent the previous quarter and 66.3 per cent in the financial year to December 1979. And Free State Gerbid paid 68.3

State Geduid paid 69.3 per cent for December quarter, 69.8 per cent for September quarter and 66.8 per cent for the financial year ended last September.

Dr Danie Krige, group financial engineer of the Anglo Transvaal Group, says that to demonstrate the effects of the formulae when the gold price and costs change, the formulae for the relevant rates can be expressed Tax amount equals 56.4 per cent of

total revenue less 60 per cent of costs. Tax plus surcharge plus loan levy equals 64.9 per cent of total revenue less 69 per cent of costs. And the whole basketful of tax

including lease payments would be 69.8 per cent of total revenue less 74.3 per cent of costs. As he puts it: "The state therefore

effectively takes in total some 70 per cent of every additional rand arising from a gold price increase and only bears 60 per cent in any increase in costs as these escalate."

He says the system of payments is similar to that applicable to individual taxpayers in most countries. Little or no income tax is payable by people in the lower income brackets and higher rates accrue to those in the upper income levels. This is usually effected by a system of deducting specified fixed tax free amounts from the taxable income and then applying a rate to the balance, the rate being either fixed or escalating—usually the latter

The gold mining tax formulae are similar in action and could also be expressed as:

Total tax would be 74.3 per cent of taxable profit after having deducted a tax free 6 per cent of revenue.

This sort of formula would more accurately reflect the position. There is, in fact, a tax free amount which is the equivalent of 6 per cent of revenue while a flat rate of 74.3 per cent is levied on the balance. But a formula such as this would be too simple for the complicated bureaucratic mind, or might it be that even a government becomes embarrassed when it is clear to all just how much tax is paid by the gold mines? It could be a discouragement to would-be investors.

Perhaps the most that the mines can hope for in the next budget is relief from the 10 per cent loan levy and maybe the abolition of the 5 per cent surcharge. This would have the take by some 10 per cent from the top marginal rate and at the same time of making gold shares just that little extra autraticive particularly if they are bought with financial rands.

Harold Fridihon

Defence costs could hinder war on inflation Appropriately we start with a from Mr Robin Griffiths of Carr Vickers da Costa on Food The writer points to the his-

notices the way this January rally in shares went almost hand in hand with the first day of a potentially damaging steel strike at a time when sterling was strong.

Clearly the market was looking elsewhere, and it is right to be optimistic because once again we are in a cold war.
"It is clearly going to be difficult to justify plunging the free world into recession with the object of beating inflation at a time when sharply higher defence spending has become a necessity.

The hopeful writer continues: "Gold is being bought in a panic ... gilts are being bought on a recession thesis which is now probably historic, and equities are being accumu-lated by investors who are just a step ahead of the game. The qualifying phrase tells

The qualifying phrase tells us all. The month's selections are North Sea oils again, Premier, KCA and Ultramar Convertible; Selection Trust in mining finance; and one special ituation, industrial, Royal Worcester. Writing ahead of the confu-

sion in gilts at the end of last week, Mr Bill Buchan of Kemp-Gee writes of a fundamentally bullish gilts market. He was not the only broker to comment that the new long tap would be oversubscribed on Wednesday. It is what happened after that pains some gilt-edged

latest circular has Austin Friars would not chase this market, in big print and "also Cardiff and Swansea" in tiny print.

From its new address, Lyddon with it the same caveat that we obtained from the All Share Index. We have the first born but not yet the bull." He finds

international factors alarming.
The open season for guessing clearing bank profits continues. This week it is the turn of Carr Sebag who have a thick book "London Clearing Banks, the next five years".

Brokers' views

This broker thinks that domestic banking profits this year will be 5 per cent up on 1979, due to be announced next month. The broker considers it unlikely that the clearing banks will seek external equity fin-

ance this year.
International banking profits are forecast to increase faster than domestic earnings. Dividend increases should be well above average.

For 1979 as a whole, total profits of London clearing banks are expected to rise by 40 per cent to £1,519m. The individual choice is NatWest-For Barclays the broker estimates pre-tax profits last year of £505.7m against £373.3m; for Lloyds £258m against £182.3m; Midland profits last year are thought to have been £291.8m compared with £231.4m; and for NatWest, £461.8m against £297.9m.

A second weighty sector cir-Another general essay comes cular is out, this one from ran Developments.

appropriately we start with a first first start of the first start of the first start of the first start of the stock market. Sebag. He is a chartist In FT Manufacturing. The author, Mr toric pattern of building company used to sees plenty of resistance to get that the food sector as represented by the FT Actuaries Building materials profits are Sub-Index is not uniform.

"For example, Unilever alone earns more profits than the remaining major food com-panies put together, but its share price performance is strongly influenced by the performance of sterling on world currency markets."

Food manufacturing shares are thought to offer investors reliability and stability and several shares have above average yields. Profits should compare well with those of much of the manufacturing much of the manufacturing

Against this background Mr Potter recommends Cadbury Schweppes, Associated Biscuit, RHM and Brooke Bond. One impression the author is at pains to eliminate is that food shares are good defensive stocks in weak stock markets. They do however "show relative strength during periods when the economy performs below trend and the stock

market is strong. How bad for building in 1980? is the question put by Mr Martin Murch, writing in a new Simon & Coates circular. His answer is: "Very bad indeed for trading, but investors should nevertheless be increasing the build ing their weighting in the building material sector and, selectively in the contracting and construction sector in anticipation of the next cyclical up-

Mr Murch particularly recommends: Blue Circle, BPB Industries, London Brick, Marley, Ready Mixed Concrete, Redland, Tunnel Holdings and Bar-

free from import competition and they benefit from readily implemented price increases. Rowe & Pitman discusses the

outlook for property shares this year. Interest rates are unusually high but the sector is not facing 1974-75 all over Since 1975 net rental and in-

vestment income has risen 38 per cent, interest payable has fallen 26 per cent and pre-tax profits are £115m compared with pre-tax losses of £36m.
"Even if interest rates stayed at current levels for a full

twelve months, we calculate that pre-tax profits of the sec-tor would continue to rise." However, rental growth is expected to slow down. But discounts to assets by share prices are large at 35 per cent, and the author recommends: British Land, Brixton, Hammerson "A" Land Securities, MEPC and Slough Estates.
For above average yield, Beaumont, City Offices and Estates

Property are selected.

The major individual share recommendation of the week is Tozer Kemsley & Millbourn from Mr R. M. Havard of Hoare Govett.

In 1978 Tozer made pre-tax profits of £7.6m. For this year the author expects £14.5m with a further modest advance in 1980. At 70p the 1979 figures put Tozer on a price-earnings ratio of 3.7. If, as Mr Havard expects, the 1979 dividend rises have 25 par cent it would still by 35 per cent, it would still be covered four times. The shares already yield 7.4 per cent.

Peter Wainwright

Business appointments

New company secretary at House of Fraser

of Fraser.

Mr M. P. Bridger, Mr R. W. Shilling. and Mr D. W. S. Wright have been appointed to the board of Macarthys Pharmaceuticals in a non-executive capacity. They are managing directors respectively of the retail. surgical and wholesale divisions. Mr J. G. Hogg is to be chairman of the new company formed by Hogg Robinson Group, which is merging its international and reinsurance divisions into one subsidiary company. Mr R. B. Keville has been appointed deputy chairman and chief executive of the marine division. Mr G. T. Geddes will become managing director and chief executive, Mr

Mr D. K. Milligan, a former director and company secretary of Harrods has been appointed a director and company secretary of House of Fraser. Mr John Alton has retired as a director and company secretary. Mr C. F. L. Head, managing director of Binns and Mr M. M. McMaster, managing director of House of Fraser (Nortnern) have been appointed directors of House of Fraser (Nortnern) have of Fraser.

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Mr R. A. Iles has been appointed a deputy chairman of Alexander Howden Insurance Brokers. Mr R. W. Gardener, Mr R. J. Goward, Mr R. W. Larkin and Mr J. W. Leach have been appointed managing directors and Mr S. A. Cook and Mr P. R. J. Tritton have been appointed directors of the company.

Mr A. J. Wilkins and Mr T. H. Holroyd are to become directors of Simplex Pling and Mr Wilkins will be appointed managing director. Mr J. N. Birch will retire from his position as managing director.

Warming from Burco Dean

swing.

Recovery from the engineer ing dispute has been slow and the present level of interest rates has led many retailers and distributors to work on lower stock levels, warns Mr Spencer Crookenden, chairman of Burco Dean, in his latest review. These factors are "severely affecting" trading in the current half-year. Burco Dean's activities take in domestic appliances and kitchen furniture as well as general engineering.

The group has new products aimed at the more buoyant seg-ments of the market and these will be coming on stream early in 1980, but, in the present economic climate, prospects for the chairman warns. The notes to the accounts refer to a £24,000 ex-gratia payment to a director.

McCorquodale's confidence

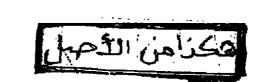
Barring unforeseen circum-stances, the board of McCorquodale and Co expects next year to report another increase in profits and earnings.

Mr Alastair McCorquodale, the chairman of this group (which covers printing, engineering and thermo forming), re-ports in his annual statement that it enters the new year with confidence. Over the past few years, McCorquodale has inves-ted "significant sums" in new machinery and equipment and the quality of the group's senior and middle management has proved its ability in exceptionally difficult conditions over the recent past.

During the year to September 30, 1979, the total share capital and reserves increased by £4.7r to £26m and now represent £1.63 per ordinary share. Total debt at £8.4m is covered just over three times by share capital and

Fibre plant to close About 180 workers will lose

their jobs when McCleery and L'Amie end production of highbulk acrylic yarn at Saintsfield. Co Down, over the next few months. The company blames losses at the plant on overcapacity in the industry and competition from Far East producers.



MARKET REPORTS

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Freight markets faced mixed fortunes last week with the dry cargo sector settling down after the recent furore over Soviet grain sales. In tanker chartering the Gulf was the most active zone with the other loading areas seeing little change in their sluggish performances of

Somewhat unexpectedly, the start of the week brought a brisk demand from several oil companies including BP, Gulf and Mobil, for vice tonnage for and Mobil, for vice tonnage for late January/early February positions. Against the background of a sizable volume of available tomage this demand generated hopes that not only would this capacity be absorbed but that some improvement in rate levels might result.

However, the supply/demand balance was not met with still too many ships for still too few cargoes. What inquiry there was was soon satisfied leaving some 25 vices in the Gulf without cargoes and rates no better

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Freight report

off. Brokers were unable to explain the sudden spate of demand and it is unlikely that the surplus tonnage will be swallowed up this week.

Around 10 vices and ulces Around 10 viccs and ulccs were booked last week at rates between worldscale 42 and worldscale 47 depending on slow or full steaming basis. Mobil took two viccs for trips to Europe at worldscale 45 and worldscale 47 on full steaming. Social, Sohio and Texaco also booked tonnage for Europe or Caribbean voyages.

Caribbean voyages.

In addition the latter paid up to worldscale 33.25 for a ulcc to Europe while Socal secured worldscale 30 on a 400,000-tonner to the Caribbean.

No change was seen in the poor levels experienced in the Caribbean sector so far this year. The only hope was that rates appeared to be no sign of fixing increasing to provide an incentive for rates to rise. Mediterranean trading remained slow but West Africa

the market and depress rates. Certainly such fears were

not lived up to last week. Interest in grain-fixing was keen and rates firmed up as a result. About \$14.50 was the going level for large transatiantic shipments and this moved up through the week ending with an unconfirmed \$16 being paid for a 55,000-towner from the United States

Gulf to Holland. Based on this steady rise and continuing good level of inquiry the prospects are that rates will increase further this week.

David Robinson

More share prices Commercial & Industrial The Boeing Company Properties North British Properties Smopung Hunting Gibson

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Wall Street

New York, Jan 25.—A late attempt at a rally failed to bring the stock market on to solid

the stock market on to solid ground today.

Avancing issues did manage to narrow the nearly trading but declines still led at the close by about 675 to about 545.

The Dow Jones industrial average was off 3.84 to 876.11.

Volume slipped to 47.100,000 shares from Thursday's New York Stock Exchange total of 59,070,000, despite several substantial blocks, including a 1,058,600-share block of United States steel.

Mr Charles C. Reilly, senior vice president at Arnhold S. Bleichroeder luc said the downturn in the averages represented more a consolidation of the market's upward move since October than a correction, and that the trend is likely to continue upward.

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High yields fail to attract investors

Prices of bonds and notes dis- \$80m, 12-year issue of the Euro-

remained slow but West Africa saw a little more activity.

Confusion still prevailed in the United States over what the dockers will do in respect of grain allowed to be shipped to Russia under the terms of the five-year agreement. At present there is no solution to the deadlock.

Many rumours circulated during the week about Soviet efforts to re-let tomage but as usual slittle firm information to chartered vessels have also been switched to the Argentine trades. Charterers were expressing fears that if Russia successfully re-let a large volume of its fixed tomage this could potentially swamp the market and depress rates.

New York bond market, writes per cent coupon issue to 13.11 per cent offered, compared with 12.26 per cent a week units range but this failed to record highs across the maturity of the 11.75 per cent coupon issue to 13.11 per cent offered, compared with 12.26 per cent offere

Prices of bonds and notes distributed outside the United pean Investment Bank was the market's reassessment of States plummeted by two points or more last week in keeping down 4.88 points from the week interest rates. This is because with a similar decline in the New York bond market, writes AP-Dow Jones.

Yields were pushed up to per cent coupon issue to 13.11 adjustment to higher short-term per cent offered, compared record highs across the maturity range but this failed to earlier.

credit demands and also reinforce the upward spiral in inflation, market participants say.

The disclosure that the US all-urban consumer price index rose 1.2 per cent in December, bringing the rate of inflation 13.3 per cent for the year, or well above the 12.2 per cent rise recorded in 1974, also reinforced the nood of despair among bond dealers.

At one point on Friday, an short-term US interest rates the seven-year issue pays interest quarterly at 0.25 points to short maturities with relatively short maturities with relatively short maturities were also hard hit. For instance, in London.

540m 15-year issue of Ajinomoto Co bearing 7.75 per cent semi-annually moved up to 98 on Friday, which raised the yield on the 11 per cent coupon issue to 12.33 per cent from 11.69 per cent.

Normally, floating rate notes

loss when interest rates are rising and, of course, the return becomes progressively higher each time a new coupon rate is However, many FRN issues declined by one-eighth or a quarter point during the week as six-month rates for large dollar deposits in London rose to 14.69 per cent offered on Friday from 14.31 per cent a week

Moreover, a \$30m offering of Nippon Credit Bank FRNs were week.

Because many market participants consider it likely that short-term US interest rates

MIPPON Cream Bank Parks were selling somewhat slowly, syndicate sources reported. Managed by S. G. Warburg and Co, the seven-year issue pays in-

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Weekly list of fixed interest stocks

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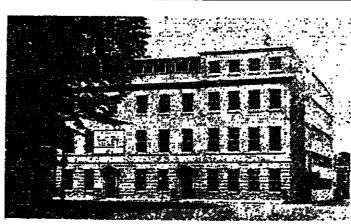
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12.55 Weather.
1.00 The World at One.
1.40 The Archers.

2.00 News. 2.02 Woman's Hour.

5.00 PM. 5.55 Weather. 6.00 News 6.30 Give or Take.†

7.00 News.

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3.00 News. 3.02 Listen with Mother.

3.15 Play : Wilaya 7.† 4.45 Story; Ship in a Bottle.

1.05 The Archers.
1.20 Science Now.
1.45 Play: After Moscow,
Arnold Yarrow.†

9.15 Pennine Portraits. 9.30 Kaleidoscope. 10.00 The World Tonight.

19.30 The News. Quiz. 7
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Scillonian flowers growers: A picture taken by Alexander Gibson at the end of the last century (The Gibsons of Scilly,

• Yorkshire Television's The Sandbaggers (ITV, 9.00) is the best series of espionage thrillers that ITV (or BBC, for that matter) has come up with for years. If you don't believe me watch tonight's instalment, the first in a new batch. It tells how one of the "special ops" agents in Eritish intelligence—the Sandbaggers of the title—is sent to Bulgaria to take delivery of a list of Iron Curtain agents from the turncoat chief of the Bulgarian secret service. I have not explained why I think The Sandbaggers is exceptional. I can do it in a line. It is written, acted, directed and photographed in a taut style that never slackens. So tightly coiled is it, indeed, that it does not even let its opening music go the full course but hacks it off, impatiently, in the middle of a rising phrase.

● Westward Television, the thriving ITV company based in Plymouth, has contributed a little masterpiece to the About Britain series (ITV, 1.30). The Gibsons of Scilly is about a photographic dynasty, now well into its fourth generation in the breezy shape of Frank who takes smashing pictures of seals and waves and visitors. His forebears specialized in pictures of vrecks and flora and fauna and islanders standing around in classical poses. They were the visual chroniclers of a century and more of Scilly life, and John Bartlett's film, with beautiful, contemporary moving pictures by Gerry Evans, has in turn chronicled the artistic and sociological sensibilities of this 9.30 am For Schools: 9.30 My World (spatial relationship); 9.47 Finding out (Paris); 10.05 How We Used to Live (Harrogate); 10.28 Starting Out (serial); 10.45 The Living Body (muscles); 11.01 How We Used to Live (Victorian farm labourers); 11.22 Picture Box; 11.39 Making a Living (German fascism)

● Tonight's Panorama (BBC 1, 8.10) examines the Afghanistan crisis in terms of Pakistan. It includes interviews with General Zia, the President, and with Afghan rebel leaders and their fighters as they cross the Khyber Pass on the way to do battle with the invading Russians.

• So, at last, after all those alarms and excursions, the news and analysis programme Newsnight arrives on our screens (BBC 2, 10.45). But why only four nights a week? Does nothing newsworthy happen on a Friday? Saturday? Sunday? A good job newspapers do not have the same mentality.

Another reminder about tonight's Radio 4 play, Arnold Yarrow's After Moscow (7.45), which follows Chekhov's three sisters into middle age. A novel idea. Isabel Dean, Dinah Sheridan and Thelma Whiteley play the sisters, and the hard-working Timothy West is Vershinin.

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TELEVISION

BBC I 9.00 am For Schools, Colleges: A Good Job with Prospects (financial world); 9.30 Biology; 9.52 Com-municate! (behind the scenes on Nationwide); 10.15 Music Time; 10.38 Maths; 11.00 Merry-go

Round. 11.25 You and Me: Neighbours (r). 11.40 For Schools, Colleges; General Studies (what use are degrees?). Closedown at 12.05. 12.45 pm News and weather.

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1.00 Pebble Mill at One: Includes landscaping item by the resident expert, Les Bailey.

1.45 How do You Do? For young children. Dressing Up (r).

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3.55 Play School: Susan Eame's story Cold Fect.
4.20 Touché Turtle: Cartoon. Grand Outlaw (r).
4.25 Jackanory: Geoffrey Hinslift reads Geoffrey Kliner's Joe Burkinshaw's Progress.
4.40 Playhouse: The Princess and the Potion. Arabian Nights-type play for children. With Mick Ford and Laura Hartoing.
5.10 John Craven's Newsround: Junior newsreel.

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tion of the King Arthur Myth. for the king Arthur Myn.
6,45 A Question of Sport: Quiz.
Taking part are speedway rider
Peter Collins, footballer Bob
Lauchford, jockey Willie Carson,
swimmer Margaret Kelly.
7.15 Blake's Seven: Space adventure. Tonight, the Liberator seems
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8.10 Pagorama: Special report on Pakistan and interviews with Afghan rebels and General Zia, the Pakistan President (see Personal Choice). Also, Robin Day interviews James Callaghan.

9.00 News: with Kenneth Kendall.

9.25 Nightmare at Pendragon's Castie: Thriller about a murdered publishing magnate (Robert Vaugha) and the actress accused. publishing magnate (Rober Vaughn) and the actress accused

11.05 Film 80: Barry Norman's movie programme. Includes a report on a Clint Eastwood fan suciety in the West Midlands, and excerpts from Eastwood's new film Escape from Alcatraz. 11.35 News headlines, 11.37 Ancestral Voices: The late Davie Munrow placs some early

instruments (r). 12.02 Weather. Regions BBC 1 VARIATIONS: Wales: 1.45 pm



Timothy West, Isabel Dean and Dinah Sheridan in After Moscow (Radio 4, 7.45)

10.03 am It Figures: Everyday maths, with Jimniy Young (r).
10.30 Working with Young People: Part 4 of repeated series.

11.00 Play School: Same as BBC 1,
3.55. Closedown at 11.23.
2.15 pm Let's Go: Brian Rix programme for the mentally handi-

gramme for the mentally handi-capped.

2.30 Roads to Conflict: The origins of the Arab-Israeli crisis. Part 4: The mandate begins (r).

3.00 That's the Way the Money Goes: The legal side of huving a second-hand car (r).

3.30 Della Smith's Cookery

Source: States: Cookery
Course: How to make stocks and
soups (r). Closedown at 3.55.
4.10 Is There Life After School?
Teachers who work briefly in industry. With Brian Redhead
Closedown at 4.35.

9.30 am For Schools: 9.30 My

12.00 We'll Tell You a Story: For young children. With the magic mirror.

12.10 pm Rainbow: Pupper show. How Do you Swim? 12.30 Numbers at Work: Decimals

and measuring in everyday life (r). 1.00 News: with Peter Sissons, 1.20 Thames News: with Robin Hous-

1.30 About Britain: The Gibsons

of Scilly. Story of a photographic family (see Personal Choice).

5.40 Charlie Brown: Cartoon. He's Your Dog, Charlie Brown (r). 6.05 James Burke's Connections: The link between the battle of Hastings, muck found in Chinese pigsdes, and the Third World War. Scientific detective stories. 6.55 Training Dogs the Woodhouse Way: The formidable Barbara Woodhouse teaches us how to make our dogs obey the command

7.20 News; with sub-titles for the 7.30 Horizon Special: The Mind's Eye. How the brain allows us to see. And how it can estimate dis-

see. And now it can esquate distance—the 3D effect.

8.30 The Goodies: Filmed before the Afghanistan invasion, this comedy programme has the comical trio taking part in a remark thle Olympic Games, staged in Britain.

2.00 Food, Wine and Friends: Actress Susannah York and cook-

ery expert Robert Carrier go shop-ping in France.

2.30 Film: The Constant Husband (1955). British comedy with Rex Harrison as a man with five wives. Also stars Kay Kendall and Mar-garet Leighton. Polished, and good

4.15 Clapperboard: The Manches-

ter Polytechnic film archive, and early film-making in Blackburn.

4.45 The Ravelled Thread; Episode

7.00 Give Us a Cine: Charades

9.00 Des O'Connor Tonight: His guests include Bernie Winters; American singer Pearly Gates, and David Letterman, co-host of The Johnny Carson Tonight Show. 9.50 Cricket: Australia v West In-dies. Highlights of today's play in

People: Part 3 of this course for beginners. More letters from the Russian alphabet, and how to find your way around Moscow. 10.45 Newsnight : Launching of the

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news and current affairs programme that goes out every night, from Monday to Thursday (see Personal Choice). 11.30 Arena: Lene Lovich, Portrait of the bizarre rock singer (r)

12.05 am Closedown: J. C. Hall's poem The Island is read by Lyndon Brook (r).

game-men against the women Michael Aspel is the MC. 7.30 Coronation Street; Len ofter

8.00 Keep It In the Family: Comedy series. Susan (Stacy Dorning) has a useful boyfriend. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 The Saudbaggers: Return of Yorkshire Television's superb series about a British espionage unit (see Personal Choice).

10.00 News.

10.30 Film: Prudence and the Pili (1969). Silly comedy that gets all excited about birth control pills and the Upper Set who use them. A waste of of a good cast—David Niven, Deborah Kerr, Judy Geeger Welth Michell Edith France. 5 of this period adventure. Sedg-wick (Steven Crives) is unmasked. 5.15 Money-Go-Round : Solar heating investigated; making landlords do house repairs ; food shopping son, Keith Michell, Edith Evans, 5.45 News. 6.00 Thames News. 6.35 Crossroads: motel serial. The proud father (Peter Hill).

12.10 am Close: Diana and Yehudi Menuhin read their choice of poetpoerry: Shelley and Tennyson.

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II; Speak; Movement and Drama 5.50 Regional news, weather. 11.60-11.30 Study on 4: World Powers in the 20th Century (15). 6.00 am News Brigging. 6.10 Farming Week.

6.30 Today. 7.00, 8.00 News. Radio 3 7.30 8.30 Headlines. 5.30-7.35 am (mw only from 7.00). Cricket: Australia v West Indies. 8.35 The Week on 4. 8.45 Patrick Moore: BBC Sound 6.35-7.00 Weather Archives

7.00 (vhf only) News. 7.05 (vhf only until 7.35) Records: 9.05 Start the Weck. 10.00 News. 10.05 Money Box. 10.30 Daily Service. 10.45 The Wooden Horse (6). Enesco, Dvorak, Stravinsky.† 8.00 News.

8.05 Records: Schubert, Mendelssohn, Hummel, Havdn (Sym 29).†

9.00 News. 9.05 Week's Composer: Beethoven (inc) Pno Conc 1—Solomon) † 10.00 Violin. piano : Mozart, Busoni (Son 2).† 10.45 Philip Jones Brass Ens: Scar-latti, Hodinott, Scheidt.† 11,25 BBC Welsh SO/Czyz, pt 1: Haydn (Sym 92), Brahms.†

12.15 pm Interval reading. 12.20 BBCWSO, pt 2: Shostakovich 1.00 News

1.05 Piano (Postnikova, live from St John's) Bortniansky, Mediner, Mussorgsky (Pictures).† 2.05 Matinee Musicale.† 3.05 Organ: Vierne (Sym 1).† 3.45 New records: Albinoni (op 7 no 6—Holliger), Dohnanyi, Walton (Cello Conc.—Kirshbaum, SNO/ Gibson).†

5.00 Music for early evening t 7.00 Bournemouth SO/Handley, pt 1: Kodaly, Ravel (Pno Conc in

1.15 Financial World Tonight. 7.40 Memories of Virginia Woolf, 7.55 BSO, pt 2: Bourgeois (Wine Sym—1st bdcst1.†
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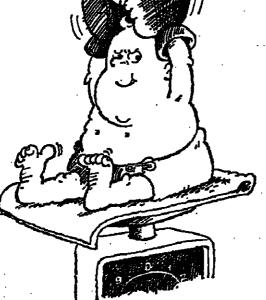
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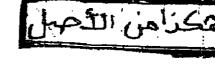
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9 Assigned to a student given a place (9).

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15 Proposed to Ball's endless (5).

11 Uncle Abe worried about thim for instance? Impossible to say (15).

12 A canon on every side (6).
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3 Commanding Officer involved with 24 in the 200 4 Either Latin hothead or such as Pirandello (6). # Master's fault shutting boy in food-store (8).

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